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It's News Here!

Trailer Destroyed by Fire

A fire ruined a trailer house owned by Albert DeVault at 5525 M-18 directly behind the Whistle Stop store. The residence was unoccupied when the fire started about 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 5. The South Branch Township Fire Dept. handled the blaze. The trailer was listed as a total loss from the fire.

Deaths Believed To Be Accidental

After autopsies and an investigation, police say the deaths of Joel Kolka, 19, and Deanna Padgett, 20, both from Grayling, appear to be accidental. They were found dead in a vehicle here last week, and the autopsies indicated carbon monoxide poisoning as one of the possible causes of death.

Snowmobile Rescue Team Transports Injured Woman from Woods Sunday

The Crawford County Snowmobile Rescue team, Crawford County Ambulance Corps, Department of Natural Resources, and Crawford County Sheriff Dept. joined together to transport an injured woman out of the woods Sunday afternoon. The 20-year-old woman was injured during a walk in the woods with a friend at Hanson Hills.

In other county news, icy road conditions resulted in several minor car accidents and cars in ditches Sunday afternoon and night.

Piggy Banks Stolen in Frederic

Four child banks with dollar bills and coins inside were stolen from the Harmer residence in Frederic Thursday, March 6. Entry was forced through a back door and four banks—a brown glass pig, a white glass teddy bear, a small replica of Sherman Williams paint can, and a plastic raccoon—were taken. Anyone with information about the thief who took these child banks can call the sheriff dept.

Surplus Food Distribute Mar. 18

Surplus food to be distributed March 18th from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Eagles.

The Commodities are to be given to low income persons. To receive commodities a person must present a certification card or verification of income. Those persons presenting verification of income will receive certification cards and cheese at the distribution site, if the income falls within federally established poverty guidelines.

Please do not call the Eagles for information, Call 348-7066.

3rd Annual Science Fair At GHS Thursday, March 20

Crawford AuSable Schools will host the Third Annual Science Fair on Thursday, March 20, in the Grayling High School gymnasium from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The Science Fair offers intra-district academic competitions designed to improve student interest in science. All participants will receive a certificate for entering the event with individual awards for outstanding projects. The individual awards will be determined by a panel of judges and will be awarded to the best four projects in the following categories: High School, Middle School, Upper Elementary (4-5) and Lower Elementary (K-3). In addition, recognition for the best three classroom projects submitted by Lower Elementary (K-3) will be given. The public is invited to attend this demonstration of Grayling's science students' work.

Weyerhaeuser Volunteers Lead CMU Public TV Drive

A Weyerhaeuser Team of volunteers will be manning the phones and recording pledges on CMU public television Sunday night, March 16, for "Festival '86," a fund-raising effort. The Weyerhaeuser Team will be challenging area residents who enjoy public television to match a Grayling Structural Mill's contribution of \$2,000. Last year the Weyerhaeuser challenge helped raise nearly \$30,000 in just a few hours. Some of the Weyerhaeuser Team volunteers that will be appearing on the "Festival '86" program Sunday are shown inside in a CMU public television advertisement. Air time for the Weyerhaeuser Team is 7 p.m.

10th Annual Rotary Minstrel Show Set for March 21 and 22 at GHS

The funniest show of the year will be playing Friday and Saturday, March 21 & 22, at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at the Grayling High School. The Rotary Minstrel Show offers fresh and provocative material every year performed by the town's biggest hams. Tickets for the show are available from Mac's Drugs, R & H Sports, and any Rotarian.

Chamber Hosts 131 Highway Meeting

The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce will be holding a Transportation Committee Meeting on Thursday, March 20, 1986, 7:00 p.m. at the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel.

The subject will be the proposed Interstate 131 Highway and its future in our area. We will discuss objectives and strategies.

If you are a member of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, you are welcome to attend.

Benefit Dance for Area Mentally Handicapped on March 21

A benefit dance will be held from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the K of C Hall Friday, March 21. Live music will be performed by the local band "The High Society Wiseguys", who will be donating their time. The event is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and all proceeds go to help the area mentally handicapped children. Tickets are \$2.50.



LET'S HELP BUILD A NEW PLAYGROUND — These Crawford AuSable Day Care children thought it was fun decorating canisters to help collect money for a new playground in the Grayling City Park. From left, Lindsay Porter, Morgan McIntosh, Jasmine Waite, Brad Ritter, Eric Brackenbury, Keenan Hansen, and Amy Hanson show some of the decorated cans that are placed in area businesses to raise \$12,000 for the new playground. The Grayling Business and Professional Women are leading the drive to raise the money. (Jon Thompson Photo)

Catch-and-Release Foes Receive Unanimous Support From Regional MUCC

The Committee To Oppose Catch-and-Release received unanimous support at a regional meeting of the Michigan United Conservation Clubs Saturday in Gaylord. Clubs from the northern half of lower Michigan were represented at the meeting.

A resolution opposing catch-and-release will be brought before the executive board of the MUCC Tuesday or Wednesday, March 11-12, asking for its support.

On Monday, March 10, the Grayling City Council, with a 4-0 vote, gave its support to the resolution opposing catch-and-release. On the same night, the American Legion Post 106 in Grayling also went on record as opposing the catch-and-release regulation.

The City Council will be sending letters to Governor Blanchard, DNR Director Ronald Skoog, Senator Binsfeld, and Representative Ostling indicating their position against catch-and-release.

Last Wednesday, the Grayling Sportsman Club went on record as opposing catch-and-release and supporting a creel limit on the AuSable main stream from Burton's Landing to Wakeley Bridge.

Last Tuesday, Senator Connie Binsfeld introduced a resolution in the Michigan legislature asking the Michigan Natural Resources Commission to reverse its recent decision to establish catch-and-release on the AuSable mainstream.

The main portion of the resolution reads: Whereas, At its meeting in Kalamazoo on February 5-7, 1986, the Michigan Natural Resources Commission established catch and release, fly fishing only regulations on the mainstream of the AuSable River between Burton's Landing and the Wakeley Bridge, effective with the 1986 trout season. This regulation would require all fish caught in this stretch of the river to be released. This decision was made in spite of the fact that the Fisheries Division of the Michigan

Department of Natural Resources reported to the Commission that area residents were surveyed and found to reject the catch and release rules, and that the division's own recommendations included the continuation of the current slot size regulations along this stretch of river; and

Whereas, no clear understanding as to the effect of catch and release regulations on trout populations has been determined. A research project on the South Branch of the AuSable, now in its third year, has yet to produce any conclusive evidence catch and release regulations improve trout populations. Because the study has not been completed, the Commission's decision to expand catch and release regulations was premature; and

Whereas, the Michigan Natural Resources Commission has been given broad powers to regulate fish and game in Michigan. Concomitant with this authority is the responsibility to take into account the wishes of the citizens of the State of Michigan and to give weight to recommendation of its professional staff. By disregarding both of these, the Commission failed to recognize the preferences of area residents, many trout anglers, as well the knowledgeable and considered opinion of its staff. The reluctance of the commission to consider the opinions of individuals and the professional expertise of the Fisheries Division of the Department raises questions as to the basis the Commission uses for its decision making process; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the members of this legislative body strongly urge the Michigan Natural Resources Commission to reverse its recent decision to establish catch and release fly fishing on the mainstream of the AuSable River from Burton's Landing to the Wakeley Bridge.

Maple Forest Test Site For County Address System

The Crawford County address system advanced another step in the right direction as Crawford County Commissioners passed an ordinance requiring all county residences to use the new numbering system.

Violators face up to a \$50 fine or one day in jail for each day they refuse to comply with the ordinance.

Although the ordinance takes effect as soon as the governor signs it (or he does not sign it, it becomes effective March 27 - 30 days after the commissioners adopted the ordinance), it could be one to two years before the whole county changes over to the new system.

The new addresses will be based on a grid number system designed by Consumers Power. The county is divided into grids with 1000 numbers along each mile of road. Even numbers are on the right side of the road and odd numbers are on the left side of the road.

About 70 percent of residences and businesses in the county already have grid number addresses because they are Consumers Power customers. The grid number address is displayed on their bills.

But even some of these addresses will have to be changed. The Crawford County Road Commission has started the difficult job of deciding street and road names. Some existing names will have to be changed because of duplication in the county. Other un-named roads will require names. In some places, a road is called by two or more names, and the road commission will have to choose.

About 30 percent of the county, parts of

Frederic, Grayling Township, Maple Forest Township, and all of Lovells Township use Top O' Michigan service and will require new grid number addresses.

The Crawford County Building and Zoning Dept. will be responsible for assigning the new numbers. Using a dash-mounted surveyor in a vehicle, Zoning and Building Director Bruce Jones will figure out correct numbers for county addresses.

Maple Forest Township will be the first place assigned new addresses. Maple Forest is the ideal place to start because it only has about 350 residences and most of the roads run straight east-west and north-south.

Residents will be notified of their new address through the mail by the building and zoning department. Under the ordinance, house numbers at least three inches high must be displayed at a place visible from the roadway. If a homeowner does not comply with the ordinance by displaying proper house numbers, a written notice will be sent by the building and zoning department. The homeowner will have 15 days after receiving the notice to comply or face a penalty of up to \$50 or one day in jail for each day the ordinance is violated.

Roscommon mailing addresses in Beaver Creek and South Branch already have switched over to the grid number address system. Under the new county ordinance, city addresses will keep their current number system.

The main reason for switching to the new address system is to aid emergency services in locating places.

City Offers Income Tax Amnesty Program

By Jon Thompson

The City of Grayling is offering an amnesty program from March 1 to April 30 for all city income tax evaders.

A new law allows the city to exchange tax information with other government units, and the city is finding out some startling figures.

As much as \$1.3 million in back taxes may be owed to the city from tax evaders.

Computer cross-checking of state and city tax forms allows the city to find out taxpayers who have not filed Grayling City income taxes.

Anyone who performs 25 percent or more of their work in the city of Grayling must pay city income taxes. A resident pays one percent tax and a non-resident pays a half of one percent tax.

Computer cross-checking with state tax forms also revealed many persons who have listed lower adjusted gross income figures on their city income tax forms.

"Right now, we are just assuming most of these differences are just mistakes made by the taxpayers," said Grayling City Attorney David Sabin. "During the amnesty period they will have a chance to come in and correct those mistakes."

"After the amnesty period ends," Sabin said, "we will assume these people have purposely filed incorrect tax forms and we may prosecute for criminal charges depending on the amount of money involved."

Some of the \$1.3 million in difference between state and city figures may be explained through legitimate reasons, he said. The city is hoping a lot of the \$1.3 million problem will cure itself during the amnesty period.

Tax amnesty programs in other states have produced astounding results. One New York man paid \$2.5 million for unpaid 1984 income taxes in a tax amnesty program last year. A Fortune 500 company paid \$1.8 million in back taxes during a Massachusetts amnesty program.

The City of Grayling program will cover unpaid taxes as far back as their records go, and the amnesty program will be a one-time deal. All of the money from city income tax goes into the city street construction program.

The amnesty program is one result of computer capability to cross-check thousands of tax forms.

"People don't realize the impact the computer has had," Sabin said.

What Will Winter Weather Wallop Us With Next?

By Jon Thompson

If you don't like the weather in Michigan, just wait a day or maybe just a few hours, and it will usually change.

Variety is the spice of life in northern Michigan.

Last Thursday, Crawford County residents woke up to 10 to 12 inches of new snowfall - a very light powder that turned the countryside into postcard scenes.

Friday, a harsh north wind turned the countryside into a scene from Siberia. The temperature never rose above 10 degrees Fahrenheit and gusting bitter winds drove the wind chill to 30 or 40 degrees below zero.

Saturday morning, lows of 20 to 25 below zero were recorded on area thermometers

before a bit of sunshine came out to tease us.

On Sunday the rain started and by the afternoon and night the roads were slippery as ice formed.

Monday, temperatures nearly reached 50 and a cloudburst of rain hit the city in the mid-morning. By noon a dense fog enveloped most of the county. By afternoon, rain and melting snow made deep puddles all over roads as most of the water had nowhere to go.

On Tuesday morning, the sunshine came out early to begin melting a light snowfall that had fallen the night before.

What's next? There isn't much left to surprise us but it is nearing St. Patrick's Day. Have you ever seen green snowflakes?

Only Home Performance for GHS Forensics Team Set for Monday

Growth and improvement are the hallmarks of the 1986 Grayling High School Individual Speech Events Team, according to coach Nancy Lemmen. Organized and in practice since early January, this year's team has 19 members and is performing well on the invitational tournament circuit.

Commonly known simply as Forensics, Individual Events is actually only one of four activities under the auspices of the Michigan Interscholastic Forensic Association. The other three competition areas include: debate, discussion, and one-act play competitions.

Individual Events, a late winter and spring activity, offers high school students their choice of participation in one of fourteen different areas, seven in public address and seven in interpretation.

GHS's '86 team in the area of public address includes: Kim McDonough (Jr.), Extemporaneous Speaking; Patty Hatfield (Sr.) and Wayne Sands (Soph.), Radio Broadcasting.

Students performing in the interpretation area are: Erin Hickey (Jr.) and Amy Denton (Fr.), Storytelling; Stephanie Hindmarsh (Sr.), Karl Schmidt (Jr.), and Amy Smith (Jr.), Dramatic Interpretation; Dennis Mansfield (Sr.) and Fred Fisher (Jr.), Humorous Interpretation; and Cris McLaughlin (Sr.), Serious Interpretation.

The teams of Kathy Allen (Sr.) and Jeff Martinez (Sr.), Christy Best (Sr.) and Kim Cole (Sr.), and Kristin Lademan (Jr.) and Jeff McLaughlin (Jr.) compete in Duo Interpretation; and Donn Broeker (Fr.) and Lori Dean (Fr.) compete together in Duo Interpretation 9-10, a category open only to freshmen and sophomores.

The GHS Individual Events Team will hold a local performance on Monday, March 17, at 7:00 p.m., in the High School Instructional Materials Center. The public is welcome to attend this performance, which is the only time this season that the team performs as a group in town.



GHS FORENSICS TEAM — The 1986 GHS Individual Speech Events team members are (left to right) Seated: Kristin Lademan, Jeff McLaughlin, Kathy Allen, Jeff Martinez, Christy Best, Kim Cole, Lori Dean, Donn Broeker. Standing: Kim McDonough, Erin Hickey, Dennis Mansfield, Karl Schmidt, Fred Fisher, Amy Smith, Stephanie Hindmarsh. Not pictured: Amy Denton, Patty Hatfield, Cris McLaughlin, Wayne Sands.

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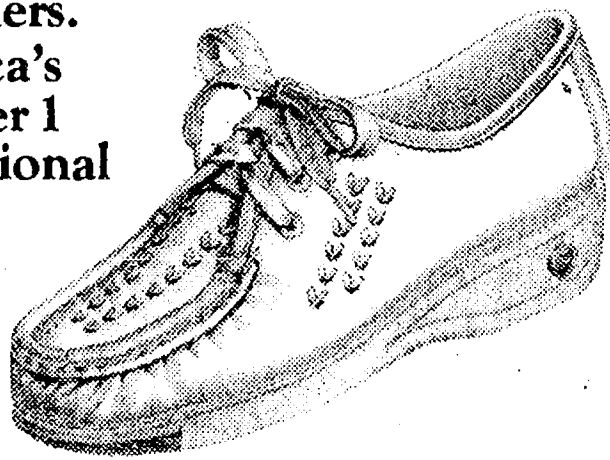
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Whitey Madsen

From Our Corner...



We thought it was over but, it ain't...

So, one more time, I hope, we bring you our winter wonderland weather report...

As we were walking to work last Thursday morning, all I heard when I said good morning was, "you sure got something to write about for next week", hey...

Reference too...we had just gone through a January thaw in March a week ago when last Wednesday afternoon it spit a little of the fine white stuff...come morning there was eight inches on the ground, and in some areas about a foot...following the snow was a wind that clogged roads and the temperature dropped from 5 to 20 below...

The storm closed most all of the northern lower peninsulas schools Thursday and Friday...

For our summer guests who are elsewhere, stay, we haven't gotten our normal St. Pat's day storm...

This is Sunday and the temp just made 40, and the weatherman just said, it's going to be like that on Monday with possible thunderstorms...

Like we have mentioned, the only thing that changes faster than the weather, is a woman...

We don't normally do this, in fact I think it may be the first time but, I do have to take a bit of exception to a column and the write-up of the Gaylord-Grayling game that appeared in the town's paper that is just seven miles south of Vanderbilt...

The two articles lamented on the terrible antics that the Vikings pulled on the Blue Devils by stalling, or if you prefer a slowdown brand of game, that resulted in a 31-22 victory for Gaylord...

I'm surprised in reading the two articles, it seems like this is the very first time the author of the column, and Gaylord's coach have witnessed such a game...

I doubt if there are many people living in Gaylord now that witnessed a similar game in 1935 in the district tournaments held in Grayling...

Grayling had slammed Gaylord twice during the season by running and gunning, so John Makel, then Gaylord's coach against Butch Cornell's coached team called for a stall game, they held the ball until they could score, and unnerved the fast braking Vikings...Gaylord won the game, not only the tournament but, it was Grayling's first defeat of the season...

To me this game would be harder to swallow as a team effort, than the one last week when one individual may have been denied a scoring title...too bad, I wonder what Sean Ferguson of Charlevoix would have thought if Grayling would have laid back and let Rick Gray score at will?...

I'm sure there have been many, many such games between schools, and even in the college ranks...I guess what brought this to my attention was the fact my brother, Norm, was the one who stood in the middle of Grayling's gym to force the play...if you look close at the silver football in the trophy case at Gaylord, his name is there also...

Back then, it was for the team, not as an individualist...for me...I was the captain of the ping-pong team when I was a senior...that is why I could watch so many basketball games...they were at different times...and be as proficient as the columnists up-north, but, then, I'm sure he can't remember 1935...if he did he would have been in diapers...

An idle thought...the above columnist belittled Grayling's 2-18 record, and stated they were driven deeper into the cellar...I happened to notice that Gaylord did not go any farther than our so-called lowly Vikings in the district tournament...I'm waiting to read the excuse this week...from the double-dribble column...

Sorry I can't cry Blue for one guy while smiling Blue for the Big M...

To our weekly readers who care less for the round ball game, stick around, next week we will be back with our nonsense column...only 33 left...

Time to bid our gals, T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to all, have a nice weekend...think harder for spring if you can...

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago
March 14, 1963

The Mel Luters of Owosso came Friday to spend the weekend with her folks, the Clifford Malloys.

Mrs. Burton McWilliams was visited by a flock of evening grosbeaks which nearly covered the lawn, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Gohnick are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Saturday, March 2, weighing upwards of 7 lbs. Her grandparents are the William Gohnicks and the Charles Longs, both of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hartman returned home Sunday after spending several weeks in Florida.

Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo has sent the Avalanche a clipping from the Toledo Blade containing another mention of the old home town. It deals with the William Christensons, and is as follows from Mitch Woodbury's column: "If you thought 17 below zero temperature Toledo had last month was bone tingling, listen to the story of Helen Catlin, who is a native of Grayling, Mich. Two of her old friends in that community observed their 50th wedding anniversary the other day. She just received a letter from them, detailing their courtship. Their names are Mr. and Mrs. William Christenson. Back in 1912, Mr. Christenson worked in a Grayling lumber mill six days a week. On Sunday, he did his courtin'. Mrs. Christenson then lived on a farm 10 miles out of town. This made things a bit difficult. Every Sunday, he'd walk the 10 miles to see her. Always wore a derby hat. One Sunday night on his return trip, he discovered he couldn't walk as fast as usual and that he was breathing hard. His ears became cold and he took out his handkerchief and tied it around his head. But he finally completed the arduous trek. The walk, which usually took him just over two hours, took 4 1/2 hours. When he got back to town he discovered the reason. It was 50 degrees below zero. No wonder the following year he insisted Rosa (Mrs. Christenson) marry him - and move back to town."

46 Years Ago
March 14, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mikesell (Polly Irland) are happy over the arrival of another daughter born to them March 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Klug (Ellen Mae Rasmussen) of Detroit are the proud parents of a daughter born to them Sunday, March 10.

Edward Martin of C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roberts enjoyed smelt fishing at Boyne City Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Younken were in Grayling Friday, the former here on business and Mrs. Younken visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Penrod returned Monday evening after spending two weeks in Detroit on business and plea-

sure. They enjoyed seeing the production "Gone With The Wind."

Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Peterson returned home Friday night from a few weeks' sojourn in Clearwater, Florida.

Arthur J. Wakeley, more familiarly known among his friends as "Junior" who opened a grocery store and gas station down the river last fall, finds business fine even this time of the year.

John McEvers has taken over the Studebaker Agency for this district, and is now driving a brand new Studebaker demonstrator.

69 Years Ago
March 15, 1917

Oscar Rasmussen of Detroit spent Sunday here visiting his cousin Wilhelm Raab.

Mrs. Emmet Lewis of Frederic visited her son Russell here a few days this week, and while here was a guest of Mrs. James McNeven.

Miss Frieda Olson left Saturday for Detroit to remain for a couple of months to get the latest styles and fads in dressmaking. She expects to enter a dressmaking shop.

Mrs. George Willis returned last week to her home in Auburn, Ind. Her niece Helen Bradley, accompanied her home for a visit.

The groundhog was true to his predictions, for the past six weeks the weather has been unusually cold and wintry.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dodge and family returned from Bay City last week. Mr. Dodge is engaged to saw shingles again this year for T.E. Douglas.

Judson McCormick, who has been working a short time in Detroit, came home Saturday and is again to work for Mr. Raab.

Dean Redhead spent a week at his parental home visiting his relatives, returning again to his work in Detroit.

Free Shade Trees For Spring Planting

The National Arbor Day Foundation is giving ten free shade trees to people who join the nonprofit Foundation during March, 1986.

A Sugar Maple, Weeping Willow, Red Oak, Green Ash, Thornless Honeylocust, Pin Oak, Silver Maple, Tulip-tree, European Mountain-ash, and Red Maple tree will be given as part of the Foundation's campaign to encourage tree planting.

These trees were selected because they provide flowers, berries and nuts, in addition to shade and beauty, according to John Rosenow, the Foundation's executive director.

The Foundation will give the ten free trees to members contributing \$10 during March. The six-to-twelve inch trees will be shipped this spring between March 1 and May 31 when conditions are right for planting. They will be sent with enclosed planting instructions, and are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free by the Foundation.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, a \$10 membership contribution should be sent to Ten Shade Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by March 31, 1986.

Sales Workers

According to a recent survey of 500,000 employees, the most satisfied workers are men in sales who are working for large companies.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

ECUMENICAL JUDGMENT

The one world religion brought about by the ecumenical movement will be destroyed in judgment. "Come hither: I will shew unto thee the judgment of the great whore that sitteth upon many waters." (Rev. 17:1). "And the ten horns which thou sawest upon the beast, these shall hate the whore, and shall make her desolate and naked, and shall eat confederacy which will rule with the future antichrist. "And the ten horns which thou sawest are ten kings, which have received no kingdom as yet; but receive power as kings one hour with the beast." (Rev. 17:12). The beast is the antichrist described in Revelation 13:1-10. Please compare this with 2 Thess. 2:1-12 which gives more details of the antichrist.

The woman of Revelation 17 as we saw last week is the one world religious system which will control all religions at the time of antichrist. She will come to power on the back of the ten kingdom government which shall be ruled by the antichrist. "So he carried me away in the spirit into the wilderness: and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast, full of names of blasphemy, having seven heads and ten horns." (Rev. 17:3). Remember that the one world religion will be inter-

national, or universal. (Rev. 17:15). She will gain power through politics. (Rev. 17:2). She will be very wealthy. (Rev. 17:4). She will be a mother religion. (Rev. 17:5). She will be known for killing Jews and Christians. (Rev. 17:6). She will be connected with the ancient Babylonian religion. (Rev. 17:18).

Should the above scriptures be fulfilled in our generation, we may safely assume that the world political power which will be working with this religious system will be some form of world socialism or communism. Evidence is overwhelming that this religious and political union is already being formed. The coming one world government will betray the religious system which helped her gain world dominion, and destroy her as soon as political control is gained. See Rev. 17:16 above. This judgment will be the fulfillment of God's will upon this one world religion for her sin. (Rev. 17:17).

While the one world religious system will be evil, there are many Christians in the system given God's clear warning. "Come out of her, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues. For her sins have reached unto heaven, and God hath remembered her iniquities." (Rev. 18:4, 5). (Hear "The Bible Speaks" at 7:57 a.m. on WQON 100 FM).

Pastor "B"

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HOUSE FOR SALE — Clough Sub., 4 Bedroom, attached garage, full basement; Also 2 room hunting Cabin For Sale in Lovells, Call 348-9782. -4/17 LR

FOR SALE — '83 Chevy Celebrity, auto, loaded, V-6, 4.3 liter diesel, low miles, clean car, \$300.00 down, \$127.00 a month with approved credit, 348-2247 after 6:00 p.m. -13-

HELP WANTED — Automotive Service Advisor, must be friendly, have good personable appearance, neat hand writing & working knowledge of auto repair. Start immediately. Apply in person, see Mike Davis at Scheer Motors, Grayling, Michigan. -13-

FOR SALE — '72 Mercury 4 door, \$200.00, 348-2033. -13-

FOR SALE — 2 Bedroom House on Marshall Road in Karen Woods. Stove & Refrigerator included, immaculate home, must see to appreciate, must sell quick, asking \$24,900.00 Cash Only. Call after 6:00 p.m. for Appointment, 348-4966. -3/13/86-

FOR SALE — 1977 Chevy Camaro, Alabama body, 6 cyl., auto., nice looking, \$1100.00 or Best Offer, 348-4021 days, 348-2247 after 6:00 p.m. -13-

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MOVING - MUST SELL — Make Offer, 12 x 65 mobile home with expando, 3 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Bath, newly carpeted, wood stove, 1 1/2 car garage with wood stove, on large lot in Grayling Mobile Estates, 348-3165. -13-20-

FOR SALE — 1975 Ford Granado, 6 cyl., 83,000, auto., good transportation, \$495.00 Call 348-2247 after 6:00 p.m. -13-

80 or Over or Handicapped Party

The Christian Service Commission of St. Mary's Church will host a party for all citizens of Crawford County who are 80 years and over or handicapped. We invite you to come and bring your spouse for an afternoon of fun, food, entertainment, and sharing with friends.

The party will be on Sunday afternoon, April 13th, 1986 at St. Mary's Family Center from 1:00 to 4:30. Refreshments will begin at 1:00 and dinner will be served at 2:00 with entertainment following.

In order to help us plan, please call one of the following persons no later than April 6th.
Lora Gould 348-2331; Sr. Cecelia 348-5318; Rita McEvers 348-2948.

Also Nancy Hoffman 348-8770; Rita Schlehuber 348-7134; Aggie Trudgeon 348-4921.

Shop Alone
People who shop for groceries with friends or relatives spend more than those who go alone, according to studies.



JUNIOR DEPUTY CLASS — Friday the 28th, Mr. Akers had a Junior Deputy class in Mrs. Akers' 4th grade. All the 4th grade classes were there.

In the picture you see (left to right) Stacey Austin, Tommy Johnson, and Mr. Akers.

Mr. Akers teaches us about safety and Do's and Don'ts. The last class was about shoplifting. We saw 2 movies about people who were shoplifting, and how the authorities catch the people.

This coming week will be about first aid. Each class will go individually to practice on Resuscitation Annie to learn CPR. Written by Rachel Bennett and Jamie Barnes.

Cong. Bill Schuette Is Candidate for Re-election

Midland - Citing his record of service to Mid-Michigan agriculture and his support of deficit-reduction legislation, Congressman Bill Schuette today formally announced that he will be a candidate for re-election in 1986.

"I delivered on my 1984 campaign promise to get back Mid-Michigan's seat on the Agriculture Committee," Schuette said in remarks prepared for delivery at a series of news conferences throughout the district today. "As long as I am in Congress, I will never give up my seat on that Committee," he pledged.

On the matter of the deficit, Schuette noted that during the current term, Congress has made "giant strides," and is "now on a track that will lead to a balanced budget by 1991."

"If that happens, we will have a prime interest rate of 5%," Schuette predicted, citing testimony by the chairman of the Federal Reserve Board.

"That means jobs, affordable housing, less imports, more exports, manageable farm loans and I believe the overall economic strength to carry us into the 21st century in time of true prosperity," he said.

But he warned that Congress will have to continue to "stifle the spending urge, every time an appropriation bill - whether for domestic or military spending - comes up."

Daniels Den

This Saturday Daniels Den will be presenting a very special Jamboree Night. We will be having a very special gal from Mio over for the first half. Any money donated that night will be going to her.

Why you ask? Well, she has been accepted by the Continental Singers for their European Tour this fall and as many of you know who are acquainted with the organization, it's pretty expensive for one individual to totally finance it by themselves. She will be singing with tapes and the piano, and she will be having friends along doing backup on guitar for her. Come and support this worthwhile ministry and help her to go this fall.

Also, we will be having Dave and Karen Ross, and family the 2nd half, and all that good talent that usually shows up on Saturday. We are really going to have a good time, good fellowship and most important of all good music. That's what we are all about, all ages welcome. Why don't you join us this Saturday.

Daniels Den is located on the corner of I-75 & M-72 West, in Grayling. The doors are open at 7:30 p.m. and music starts at 8:00 p.m. until around 10:00 p.m.

Joan Rose

Grayling Surgeons To Offer Services In Houghton Lake

Tomlin C. Rosi, M.D. and K. Ramaswamy, M.D. have announced they will begin part-time office hours on March 20, 1986 at the Houghton Lake Clinic in Houghton Lake. Located by the Big Boy Restaurant in Houghton Lake, the clinic is operated by Northern Michigan Health Services.

Dr. Rosi and Dr. Ramaswamy, both General Surgeons based in Grayling, will provide minor office-based surgery and surgical procedures, surgical consults, and surgical follow-up care for one morning every other week. Patients desiring appointments may call either the Houghton Lake Clinic (422-5122) or the Keyport Clinic in Grayling (348-6611).

GOP Candidate For Governor To Speak Here

Brighton businessman Dick Chrysler, a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, will speak to the Michigan Northern Counties Association on Mon., March 17th. The speech will take place at Crawford County Courthouse in Grayling.

Chrysler, 43, is the Chairman and founder of Cars & Concepts, the national leader in the production of specialty vehicles for the American automobile market. Dick Chrysler often says there are no problems - only opportunities. Dick has consistently worked with those opportunities to create thousands of jobs during some of Michigan's toughest economic times. 1986 is a year of opportunity for the state's voters. Chrysler urges these voters to be citizen-entrepreneurs, to seize the opportunity to turn things around in state government. We need quality in state government, not quantity.

BPW Playground Fund Drive

Grayling Business and Professional Women urge all persons in our community to contribute whatever amount they can afford to the playground fund for the new playground at the City Park. Generous donations by local organizations have been made, but this is a community project for the benefit of all our children, and each of us can have a part in providing the playground by contributing.

Cannisters have been placed in local businesses for donations or donations may be sent to BPW Playground Fund, P.O. Box 911, Grayling. Every cent will help us to achieve our goal of \$12,000 by April 15, and assure our children of a larger, safer place to play this year.

Sincerely yours,
B. Humphrey
BPW
Playground Committee member

HURON-MANISTEE NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER SALE

RANDALL PERSONAL FIREWOOD SALES, located within Section 21, T26N, R1E, Michigan Meridian, Oscoda County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the Mio District Office, Mio, Michigan up to 11:00 a.m. local time on April 1, 1986, for an estimated 99 Mbf. of timber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. Twenty-one (21) individual sales will be offered. The estimated volume by species product, unit of measure, and the minimum acceptable bid rate is:

Sale Name and Number	Mixed Hardwood Firewood
Randall Per. Firewood No. 1	6 Ccf (8cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 2	13 Ccf (16cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 3	7 Ccf (9cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 4	7 Ccf (9cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 5	6 Ccf (8cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 6	3 Ccf (4cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 7	7 Ccf (9cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 8	11 Ccf (14cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 9	6 Ccf (7cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 10	10 Ccf (13cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 11	6 Ccf (7cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 12	6 Ccf (7cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 13	7 Ccf (9cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 14	8 Ccf (10cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 15	5 Ccf (7cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 16	4 Ccf (5cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 17	8 Ccf (10cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 18	10 Ccf (13cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 19	9 Ccf (11cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 20	7 Ccf (9cfs) \$11.34/Ccf
Randall Per. Firewood No. 21	

An individual may bid on up to three (3) of these sales but will only be awarded one sale. A tour of the sale area will be given March 26, 1986. Those interested bidders should meet at the intersection of M-72 and Hagman Road at 10:00 a.m. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids may be obtained from the District Ranger at Mio, Michigan.

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Ostling Questions Construction Wages At Camp Grayling

An area lawmaker today asked state officials to investigate and take appropriate steps to correct the inflated wage rate paid to construction workers at Camp Grayling.

State Representative Ralph Ostling (R-Roscommon) said that the Department of Labor is again violating the Michigan Prevailing Wage Law by blending the rates of two different union jurisdictions for workers constructing the maintenance facility at the camp.

The inflated wages for electricians alone will mean an additional \$17,000 in costs, according to Ostling.

The legislator said a similar wage blending at the Ionia Prison last autumn cost taxpayers at least \$200,000.

"Lawmakers were told then that the situation was unique to Ionia and wouldn't happen again," Ostling said. "Now the problem has repeated itself. The Department of Labor is using loopholes to manipulate the rates. They have circumvented the intent of prevailing wage law at the taxpayer's expense."

Ostling explained that wages were blended between two union jurisdictions because one small area, Lovells Township, is in a different union's territory. Most of Crawford County is under the jurisdiction of the Traverse City area's union, but Lovells Township is in a union jurisdiction which also covers the area including Bay City, Saginaw and Midland.

Union rates for electricians in the Traverse City area is \$15.37, plus \$2.89 in fringes, for a total of \$18.26 an hour. The Tri-City rate is \$17.51 an hour, plus \$3.58 in fringes, for a total of \$21.09 an hour. Through a complex formula, based on union

membership and pay scales, the state Department of Labor blended the two rates to determine that the prevailing wage for this project would be \$16.71 an hour, plus \$3.25 an hour in fringes, for a total of \$19.96.

"That's \$1.70 an hour of extra costs. The project will take up to 10,000 electrical hours. By multiplying the number of hours times the additional wages you have a total of \$17,000 in extra costs."

"When a county is split, the law specifically allows for the rate to be determined at the township level. The prevailing wage law contains no provision regarding the blending of rates. Unless this practice is stopped, we will continue to waste the taxpayer's money," Ostling concluded.

New Lottery Instant Game

Lansing - Lottery players looking for an instant game with many more smaller cash prizes will find it in "Winds of Fortune," on sale at 8,000 retailers throughout the state starting March 18.

"Winds of Fortune" will offer nearly \$10 million in prize money, with 94 percent going to awards of \$2 - \$100, said Lottery Commissioner Michael J. Carr.

"We'll have closed to 2.7 million of these prizes including some 10,000 \$100 awards and more than 20,000 \$50 awards. These prizes can be paid on-the-spot at any Lottery retailer."

The Grand Prize in "Winds of Fortune" will be \$1,000-a-week-for-life with guaranteed payment of at least \$1 million. Six finalists to compete for the grand prize on a statewide television show will be picked in random drawings from among signed "Free Ticket" winners redeemed at local retailers. Five of the finalists will win prizes ranging from \$11,000 to \$25,000.

"The odds are better than one in four that any ticket in 'Winds of Fortune' will be a winner," Carr noted. "We look forward to seeing player reaction to the increased number of cash awards."

In the easy-to-play game, tickets have six prize designations hidden beneath a cover to be scratched off. Any three that match on a single ticket earns the player that prize amount.

Carr stressed the need to sign and complete the back of all Free Ticket winners prior to redemption to qualify for entry into the grand prize drawing process. Semi-finalists residing in Michigan will receive 32-drawing Lotto subscriptions. Then a random drawing will be held from among the semi-finalists to select the six finalists.

As in all Lottery games, net revenues from "Winds of Fortune" are earmarked for the state School Aid Fund to help support K-12 education. The Lottery estimates its contribution to the fund in the current fiscal year will reach \$430 million. This is equivalent to \$130 per Michigan household in direct taxes.

Depression

Many people use the word depression when they really mean unhappiness or disappointment. Unlike a younger person, the elderly may feel that the lack of positive feelings and motivation is part of the aging process. One may lose interest in things that they formerly enjoyed and become overly concerned with their physical health.

Depression may be easily overlooked as one grows older. An older person may lose their appetite and lose weight which may cause you to feel you have a physical illness. If you have difficulty sleeping one may ask for tranquilizers and sleeping pills, which can aggravate the situation. When things become very bad, you may begin to lose your sense of self-worth.

Depression is one of the most prevalent illnesses that affect the older generation. Because it is not often recognized, many people do not receive proper therapy. Younger family members may assume that it is "normal" for you to become depressed as you age and not recognize that your symptoms can be treated successfully.

Despite common beliefs depression is treatable. Your physician may refer you to a psychiatrist. Your social and physical environment should be examined to insure that as many positive factors as possible can be arranged to help support you during your depression.

Assistance from psychiatrists, social workers and other community workers may be very helpful. Persistent encouragement and positive attitudes may tide you over an exceptionally difficult period in your life.

Maude Rice M.S.W.
North Central Community
Mental Health

American Legion Auxiliary News

by Laurie Jensen,
P.R. Director

Mark Sunday, March 23 on your calendars. We will be having a Feather Bingo down at the Grayling American Legion Post from 1:00-5:00 p.m.

I will be your caller that day. I have set up bingo to run just about the same as our last one. Everyone had such a good time last time that I know that you will want to invite a friend to join you.

Ladies, please remember to attend our meeting tonight (Wednesday) at the Post at 7:30 p.m.

Services Held For Infant Daughter

Sara Lynn Overmyer, 2 months old, of Grayling Township died Friday, March 7, 1986 at Mercy Hospital. Funeral services were held Monday, March 10, 1986 at the Sorenson Funeral Home with the Reverend Jeffery Regan officiating. Burial was at the Elmwood Cemetery.

Sara Lynn was born December 27, 1985 in Grayling, the daughter of Vernon Overmyer and Lisa Hendrix of Grayling Township.

Survivors include her parents, Vernon Overmyer and Lisa Hendrix; maternal grandparents, Linda and Howard Hendrix of Houghton Lake; paternal grandparents, Bethann Davis and Daniel Canfield of Grayling; great grandparents, Vina Walker of Kingsley, and Dorothy and Howard Hendrix of Roseville, and Catherine Overmyer of Michigan Center, and Bertha & George Schneider of Omaha, Nebraska.

Dies at Munson

Cassius Payne passed away February 23, 1986 in Munson Hospital of pancreatic cancer.

Surviving are his wife, Doris Payne; daughter, Janice Harvey of Grayling; son, James Payne of Montana; brother, Nelson Payne of Davison; 2 sisters, Vivian Kimball of Lapeer and Ruby Gorbett of Flint; five grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

Donations were 2 books to the Crawford County Library - "Backyard Bird Watchers", and a complete book on "Wild Bird Feeding". Also \$423.00 was donated to the Cancer Research.

ABWA Enrollment Next Week

The Grayling Chapter of the American Business Womens' Association is finalizing plans for their Spring Enrollment Event scheduled for March 18, 1986. The theme for the evening is "Believe in ABWA."

ABWA emphasizes continuing growth through education. Scholarships are provided for women through local chapter funds and from the Association's national scholarship fund.

Women who are employed are eligible for membership. For further information about ABWA and this special event, interested business women should contact: Betty Bennett (evenings) at 348-9246, or Carol Ralph at 348-9415.

Services Held For Deanna Padgett, 20

Deanna G. Padgett, 20, of Grayling died Sunday, March 2, 1986, in Grayling Township. Funeral services were held Thursday, March 6, 1986 at the Sorenson Funeral Home with the Reverend Jeffery Regan officiating. Burial was at the Elmwood Cemetery.

Deanna was born on October 6, 1965 in Greencastle, Indiana, the daughter of Joyce Padgett and Buford Padgett. She lived in Grayling for the last 14 years and was employed with the Grayling Health Care Center.

Survivors include her mother, Joyce Padgett of Grayling; father, Buford Padgett of Bridgeport, Indiana; 2 sisters, Tina Meoak of Frederic, and Audrey Slater of Grayling; 3 brothers, Timothy Padgett of Grayling and Jeffrey Padgett & Roger Padgett, both of Linton, Indiana; maternal grandmother, Mary Buffy of Florida; and paternal grandmother, Ruby Vongarlem of Indiana.

Friday Services For Joel Kolka, 19

Joel A. Kolka, 19, of Pinconning died Sunday, March 2, 1986 in Grayling Township. Funeral services were held Friday, March 7, 1986 at Sorenson Funeral Home with the Reverend Derik Roy officiating. Burial was at the Elmwood Cemetery.

Joel was born on March 1, 1967 in Detroit, the son of Jack and Janet Kolka. He was a 1985 graduate of Pinconning High School and the president of his senior class. Joel was employed at Mark's Autobody Repair Shop in Pinconning.

Survivors include his parents, Jack and Janet Kolka of Pinconning; one sister, Jackie Sanborn of Grayling; 4 brothers, Jeff, Mark, Scott, and Ted Kolka, all of Grayling; and grandmother, Elizabeth Watson of Grayling.

Monday Services For Alfred R. Proulx, 68

Alfred R. Proulx, 68, of Lovells Township died Thursday, March 6, 1986 at his residence. Funeral services were held Monday, March 10, 1986 at the Sorenson Funeral Home, with the Reverend James Mausolf officiating. Burial was at the Lovells Township Cemetery.

Mr. Proulx was born July 27, 1917 in Au Gres, Michigan, the son of William and Pearl (Bradley) Proulx. He previously lived in Orchard Lake and has lived in Lovells for the last 7 years. Mr. Proulx previously worked as an instrument-maintenance worker for the Detroit Edison. He was a member of the Lovells Hook & Trigger Club.

Survivors include his wife, Helen (Kellogg) Proulx; 2 sons, Robert Proulx of Byron, MI., and William Proulx of Mesa, Arizona; 2 daughters, Shirley Longworth of Grayling, and Barbara Charlick of Milford; 2 brothers, Eugene Proulx of Orchard Lake, and Virgil Proulx of Carsonville; 5 sisters, Vera Hynes of St. Clair Shores, Virgie Hinkle of Romulus, Kattie LaSalle of Detroit, Hazel Fitzpatrick of Fenton, and Patricia Vale of Mt. Clemens; and 8 grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be directed to either the Lovells Hook & Trigger Club or to the Cheerful Givers Club of Lovells.



THIRD GRADERS PRODUCE PLAY — Mr. Brigham, a third grade teacher, revised a favorite children's story, Hansel and Gretel, into a play and had some of his students perform for his reading group and for some of the other classes.

In the back row you see Sara Woodland as the mother, Nick Stancil as the father, Katie Smock as the witch, and Danyell Galvani as the gingerbread child. In the front row Allison Hanson played the part of the narrator while Jessica Roy was Gretel and Brian Dunkley as Hansel.

They even made props to enhance the effectiveness of the play.

Chamber Sponsors "EXPO 86"

The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce is currently putting together a trade exposition to be held the weekend of April 12 and 13 at the Bear Museum Building. This show will be unique in that it will not limit its participants to just the building trades but instead will incorporate all businesses that have products to display. It will provide a complete shopping experience for the consumer.

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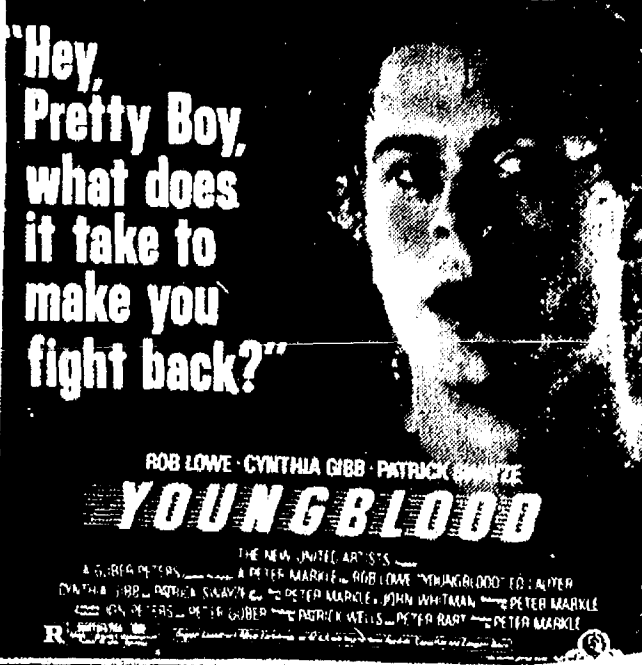
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History Invades The Living Room

by Richard Milliman

THE UNFOLDING of the change of governments in the Philippines is fascinating history in real life, available for all Americans to witness, courtesy of the communications revolution.

The importance of television in our lives — indeed, in the lives of all the people around the globe — is underlined by the immediacy of world crises and how they are brought right into our living rooms. History comes to us at least three times a day...and more often, if the news warrants special programs.

The printed media cannot match the immediacy of television reports, but technical advances in communications make early reports possible; and, whereas television provides immediacy and imagery, the printed word provides depth and interpretation. Both media are necessary for a well-rounded presentation of immediate history.

THE DEPARTURE of Ferdinand Marcos and ascendancy of Corazon Aquino is only the most recent example of history in the living room. Examples abound. Recent ones include the transfer of government in Haiti and the explosion of the Challenger space shot.

The Philippines story is longer running, really stretching back to the murder of Benigno Aquino in mid-1983, then running through an entire presidential election campaign, the abdication of Mr. Marcos and elevation of Ms. Aquino. The story, of course, is not ended; perhaps the crux has not even been reached. Only time will tell.

The Philippines drama has a couple of especially interesting aspects — at least, they're especially interesting to this essayist.

IT WAS FASCINATING that the Aquino backers decided to take over a television station as their primary and most important target in their campaign to drive Mr. Marcos out of the presidential palace.

The insurgents did not choose to storm a military base, or the federal treasury, or other more usual center of power. Their

target was Channel 4 television in Manila...and their success in taking over the television channel was widely viewed as key to their success in taking over the reins of the whole government.

Channel 4, of course, was Mr. Marcos' key link in communicating with the people of the Philippines. When he lost this link, he lost the presidency; when Ms. Aquino took over access to communications, she also took over the power center in the Philippine government.

That's probably a "first" in government changeover tactics. But we can be sure that controlling television will remain high on the priority lists of those who seek to take over other governments in other times and other places.

ANOTHER FASCINATING development in Manila was the new success of an old tactic for change — passive, non-violent resistance.

The Aquino backers used their bodies, not weapons, to enforce their will on the opposition which possessed far superior military firepower and positioning. The Aquino partisans sat down in the street, staring down tanks and rifles, in the best traditions of Mahatma Gandhi and Martin Luther King.

And it worked — and the favorable results were much swifter in coming than they ever were for Mr. Gandhi or Mr. King.

You have to shudder at what could have happened in the Manila confrontation if Mr. Marcos had chosen to unsheath his military firepower. Of course, there is some speculation as to whether Mr. Marcos really had control over the firepower; but, if a different road had been traveled in the Manila confrontation, the results for the Philippines — and indeed, for the whole world — might well have been somewhat different.

Watching history unfold can be a sobering and a humbling experience...especially when history unfolds right in your own living room.



SOCIAL STUDIES WEEK — The Grayling High School Social Studies Dept. celebrated Social Studies Appreciation Week with many events including a medallion hunt and citizenship writing contest. Shown are GHS social studies instructors Chuck Mires (Back, left), Howard Lehti (back, 2nd from left), and Russ Phillips (back, right) along with winners of the many contests. Mike Wakeley (front, center) holds the medallion he found on the baseball field. Pizza Hut, Little Caesars, McDonald's, Chicken Delights, R & H Sports, the Big Boy, Bill Bonkowski, and Mike Shearer also contributed to the events.

The Many Towers of Babel

As submitted by S.D. Newland-Schmooch

(Continued from last week)

Nebopolassar's son, Nebuchadnezzar (Daniel's King of Kings) completed his father's work in 608 B.C., adding this: "To raise up the top of Etemen-an-ki (House of the Foundation of Heaven and Earth) that it might rival heaven, I laid to my hand." The tower rose up in a series of enormous terraces, the Greek historian, Herodotus, describing it in finite detail during his travels to Babylon in 457 B.C. "It was all of gold and silver, its foundations inlaid with precious stones from the mountains and from the sea. The uppermost chamber housed the deity, the holy chapel plated with gold and decorated with enameled brickwork of blueish hues. Oil and perfume were mixed into the bricks, and the entire complex boasts of 53 temples of great gods, 55 chapels for Marduk, 300 chapels devoted to heavenly and earthly gods, and 400 altars for their combined worship."

The early Hebrews in exile considered this temple complex the height of human arrogance, especially the primary occupant, Marduk, his likeness made of pure gold. Herodotus estimated the weight of the statue at 800 talents or 26 tons! This complex was surrounded by hundreds of watch towers, bronze gates, frightful stone statuary of every monstrous description, huge store and work houses, and the opulent palaces of the Chaldean Magi.

No wonder the Hebrews found Babylon so staggering; she was the largest, most powerful walled citadel of her kind. Nebuchadnezzar's predecessors, however, had used sun-baked bricks in their rebuilding projects, which deteriorated rapidly in the wind and weather. But when he reconstructed the city, he used asphalt mortar and properly fired brick. The city of Hilleh and several neighboring villages are today entirely comprised of Nebuchadnezzar's bricks, his stamp clearly upon them, including a modern dam that diverts the Euphrates River into the Hindiyee Canal.

The Tower of Marduk, itself, was built with 58 million of these bricks, and as all

major cities contained zigurats (staged pyramids) these temples were repeatedly restored and redecorated by armies of slaves. Herodotus saw the Tower of Babel 150 years after its completion, but the writers of Genesis would have us believe that it was never finished. In fact, when Cyrus the Persian took Babylon in 562 B.C. and allowed the exiled Hebrews to return to Jerusalem, he was the first conqueror to spare the temple. Xerxes, unfortunately, demolished it again a scant century later. But Alexander the Great (according to

Strabo) put 10,000 men to clearing away the rubble for months, and had soon assigned his entire army to restoring the monument to the pagan gods of Babylon.

Twenty-two centuries later, a Western scholar seeking knowledge stood on the same spot at the base of the Tower of Babel. His command consisted of hundreds, not thousands, but through Koldewey's efforts, Babylon was once again restored to a fair approximation of its original form, an architectural complex as yet unparalleled on the face of the planet.

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Michigan Mirror

Smith Releases Results of Inmate Survey

Warren M. Hoyt, Exec. Dir., MPA

Senator Nick Smith (R-Addison) recently released results of a recent inmate survey which he said supports his contention that there is a lack of discipline and security within the corrections facilities.

Smith, whose Senate district includes the Southern Michigan Prison at Jackson and chairman of a Senate Safe Streets subcommittee studying corrections facilities and policies, suggested the survey results show that drug and alcohol use is not discouraged as usage is believed to be a "pacifier" for prisoners.

Gail Light, spokesperson for the Department of Correction, said the department had not seen the study, but it appears that it is not scientifically developed by persons involved in polling.

Survey questionnaires were also sent to 300 corrections employees and 300 persons recently released from a parole program. Results of the responses from the correctional employees are being tallied.

Thirty-five inmates said they believe over 60 percent of all corrections facility residents use illegal drugs with 29 stating that 40-60 percent are users. Some 79 said they believed the drugs entered the prison mostly through employees (79 responses) and through visitors (67 responses).

Smith, in releasing the survey to which 160 of 300 prisoners responded, said the emphasis has switched from protecting the public to indulging the prisoner.

He said the survey also shows that the threat of prison is not a "significant" deterrent to those who have served time, but it is a deterrent to those who have not been sentenced to prison.

The survey indicated that 134 of the respondents said they were concerned for their own physical safety with about an even split between the belief the threat is from other inmates and guards.

However, only 56 said they had been assaulted when in prison with only six indicating the assault was sexual in nature.

As a method of reducing the chances of committing another crime after release, 126 survey respondents said it was important to improve work and job skills while incarcerated.

Of that total 104 said they would be willing to repay part of the educational costs within five years of release. A like number, however, said they should not be required to pay part of the costs relative to their imprisonment.

Other results of the survey show that 92

of the 160 responding believe some inmates being placed in community residential programs are too dangerous to be so released to those programs.

The inmates said first-time offenders should have priority over repeat offenders for educational/vocational training, counseling and trustee status.

Ninety-eight respondents said the parole board process should be eliminated and standard guidelines substituted. Some 103 said hearings officers do not understand the prison environment while 93 said the hearings process was not fair. Another 103 respondents said penalties imposed by hearings officers do not deter additional misconducts or help maintain order in the institution.

Governor Proposes Revitalization Plans For Lansing

Governor James J. Blanchard has unveiled a plan to work with Lansing city officials to help revitalize the area of downtown Lansing surrounding the State Capitol Building and other state office buildings.

Addressing a recent meeting of Lansing City Council, Blanchard urged that the state and city work together to "enhance the image" of the capital city.

He announced that Robert L. Mitchell, deputy director of the Department of Transportation and coordinator of public investment of infrastructure, will serve as the state's liaison for the revitalization of the city.

Initiatives outlined by the governor included updating the 30-year-old Capitol Complex Master Plan; dedicating the Capitol complex as a public park to improve the city's major downtown tourist attraction; enhancing entrances to the Capitol complex; evaluating the feasibility of acquiring the Lansing Civic Center and convert it to a tourist center; and improving landscaping, lighting and security in the downtown area around the Capitol complex.



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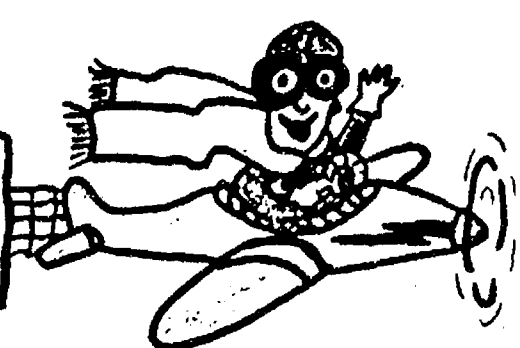
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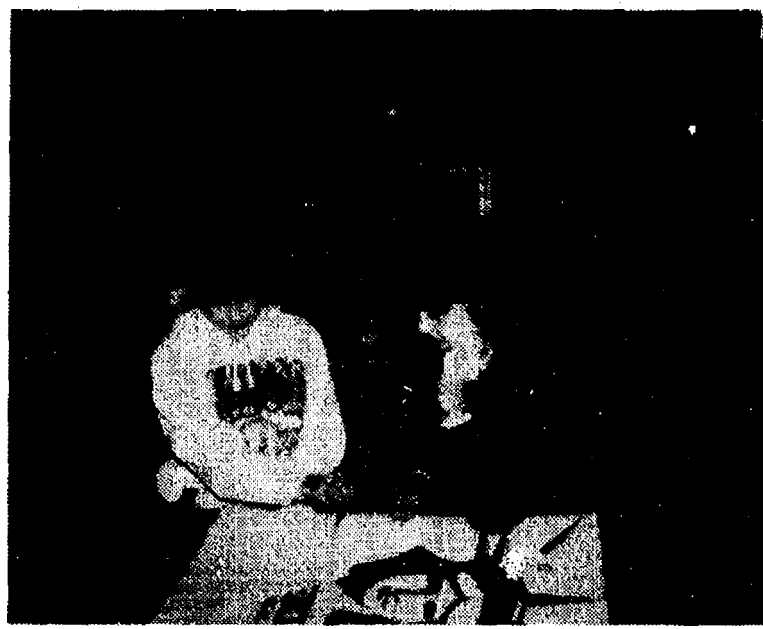
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Volunteers on the Go!



Pictured above is Mrs. Cheryl Hopp working with a 5th grade student at the Frederic Elementary School.

Mrs. Cheryl Hopp is a very busy lady working as a volunteer teacher's aide at the Frederic Elementary School. She works all day on Mondays in Marti Ingvarsson's 5th grade classroom. Cheryl does a variety of things including; working with students who need that extra little boost, correcting papers, running off ditto

worksheets, art projects, and just about anything else that is needed in the class to help the students and teacher. When I met Cheryl she was busy working on a poster of the heart and lungs for the bulletin board.

Cheryl keeps busy with her two young sons, enjoys basket weaving, crafts, knitting, crocheting, quilting, and in the summer enjoys fishing and canoeing. She is also a member of the Lovells Community Church.

This is Cheryl's first year in our school volunteer program and she says she really enjoys working with the students. She stated that she originally joined the program to get involved in what her children were doing in school. Now along with that she feels a feeling of satisfaction in helping children especially when she sees that a student has been able to grasp something that was difficult to them before.

When I asked why she thought others should become volunteers, she said that she didn't realize the need before being in the program. She added that she now sees that there is more to teaching than standing in front of the classroom. The teacher has so much preparation, correcting, paperwork, and individual tutoring to do that it would be nice if each teacher could have a volunteer aide to help with some of the non-teaching work. She also stated that it would be great if more volunteers would be willing to travel to Frederic and help in that school. Cheryl told me that she travels an average of 20 miles to get to the school every Monday.

Thank you Cheryl for giving so much of your time and talents to help in our schools. Your Caring and Sharing is appreciated by all of us.

Even though we are into the middle of the school year we can always use extra help in our schools. If you are interested in volunteering even a couple of hours a week please contact Mrs. Wolf at 348-7641.

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Which boxer held the heavyweight championship of the world for the longest time in history? ...Answer is Joe Louis who was the heavyweight champ for a record-setting 12 years, from 1937 to 1949.

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Five Oaks Nursery Joins National Assn.

Five Oaks Nursery, 11927 Steele Rd., Roscommon has been elected to membership in the American Association of Nurserymen, joining nearly 3,000 other firms across the country involved in the nursery and landscape business who support the national association.

According to Ron Gabalis, owner, Five Oaks Nursery was founded in Roscommon four years ago as a grower of wholesale nursery stock and a landscaper. The landscape business has grown in leaps and bounds. This year they have added a lawn spraying

service, the newest technology in lawn care. It is called NU-LAWN. Ron will be helped this year by his two sons, Jeff and Gary.

The American Association of Nurserymen, headquartered in Washington, D.C., has as its prime objective to establish national recognition for the nursery industry through such programs as its National Landscape Awards which encourages the business world to improve the quality of their environment through landscape beautification,

and its Green Survival environmental action program which encourages active citizen involvement in community improvement. It also provides its members with legislative representation, public relations and promotional programs, publications concerning nursery industry interests, and other services.

Five Oaks Nursery services include landscape design, sprinkler systems, sod, and all aspects of lawn care including lawn spraying.

Junior Pro Basketball



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ROCHETTE'S RAIDERS — Front (L to R): Silas Kibbe, Chad Hartley, Melissa Newman. 2nd row (L to R): Jeff Pahssen, Eddie Phillips, Jeremy Bowers, Heather Millikin. 3rd row: Coach Todd Riley. Not pictured: Levon Gilman, Corey Moshier, Coach Terry Nielson.



PIZZA HUT BLAZERS — Front row (L to R): Josh Wells, Cory Gusler, Chris Jones, Mike Harris. 2nd row: David Harris, Lynette Mead, Lennon Krause, Cory Northrup, Michael Johnson, Brad Prause. Back row: Lois Mead, Paul Failing, Karl Mead, Coach Rick Mead.

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John Hartford, Entertainer at Kirtland March 22nd



John Hartford, musician, lyricist, entertainer, humorist, and riverboat captain, will appear on Saturday, March 22, 1986, in the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium at Kirtland Community College. Curtain time is 8 p.m.

Raised in St. Louis, Hartford's musical career began at age ten when he got his first banjo. After a number of various jobs, he became a session musician in Nashville. This led to his association with RCA, where he recorded eight albums. As a result of these albums, Hartford became a regular on the Smothers Brothers' Comedy Hour and the Glen Campbell Goodtime Hour. During this time, Hartford wrote, "Gentle On My Mind" which, sung by Campbell, reached the top of the charts and gradually became a classic of its time. The song won Hartford two Grammy Awards, plus one for Campbell, and over the next few years, was recorded by more than 300 artists around the

world.

The basis of Hartford's music is bluegrass, but with his own special twists. His songs and his performances are done lightly and in fun, yet with a serious strain underlying what he projects. He is a one-man-show, performing on banjo, fiddle, guitar and his face, while providing percussion by dancing upon an amplified piece of plywood. He goes on stage without a clue as to what songs he will play, and his aim to keep his music as spontaneous as possible. He regards himself as a band musician who happens to work on his own.

Tickets for John Hartford are \$7.50 in advance and \$8.50 at the door, and may be purchased at Roscommon Hardware, Higgins Lake True Value Hardware, Flowers by Josie in Grayling, Kirtland College Bookstore. For more information call Kirtland Community College at 517/275-5121.

Fred's Win Again 59-52, Spike's Lose In Foul-Fest

Fred's Auto Body won again with a 59-52 come-from-behind win over Jerry's Kids.

Fred's was behind by 11 points in the third quarter before taking control. They dominated the rebounding and their shots started falling in the last quarter and a half.

Dan Beckwith led the team with 21 points. Doug Kuhn added 11, Brad Trenary 8, Dave Narlock 6, Steve Hinds 6, Lou Middleton 4, Phil Trudgeon 2, and Dean Smith 1. Fred's plays US. Plywood in the last game of the season Sunday.

Spike's lost 85-76 to Lewiston in a game with 71 fouls and 94 free throws. Four Spike's players fouled out with six fouls each, but it was poor defense down low and sloppy ball-handling that lost the game for Spike's.

All nine Spike's players scored as Jon Thompson had 19, Lou Madill 13, Jim Tobin 12, Dale Papendick 9, Jim Stewart 6, Dave White 6, Scott Hamlin 4, Paul Hamlin 4, and Tom Coors 3. Spike's plays the undefeated Puggy's team from Gaylord Sunday in the final season game for both teams.

Bits by Fay

LeRoy and Marie Akers and Tom and Marian Welsh were in Bridgeport on Thursday, February 20, to attend Grandparents Day. Their granddaughter, Erin, daughter of Tom and Lynn Welsh is a kindergartner there. The students put on a program for their grandparents and then served them cookies and punch.

Mrs. Betty Ames, accompanied by her mother, Eleanore Karjalainen and sister, June Karjalainen, were in Saginaw on Saturday, March 1 to attend the Ice Capades. They took Betty's daughters, Valerie and Kristin, and also Darcie and Cheryl McCurdy.

Roger Wisniewski has returned from a three-week trip to South Island, New Zealand. His arrangements were made through a fishing club in San Francisco and called People to People. He stayed with three different families, each for a week and they took him fishing to different streams. He enjoyed the people and their food and the slower pace of life that they live. They are at the same latitude, 45, south that we are north, but their climate is sub-tropical and they had not seen snow in 10 years. They also grow citrus fruit. The flying time to the southern tip of South Island was about 24 hours from Detroit to Los Angeles to Auckland and to the island.

Dick Lovely has returned to Grayling after spending since last November with his daughter and husband, Jean and Bill Gannon, in Marquette. They brought him back home where he is staying with his sister, Mrs. Claribell Goss.

CCAC Announces SHOWCASE Sun., April 13

The Crawford County Arts Council is proud to announce the coming of SHOWCASE, two hours of entertainment presented exclusively by local artists!

SHOWCASE, to be held in the main dining room of Chief Shoppenagons Hotel, at 4:00 p.m., on Sunday, April 13, is the area's first performance ever of this kind. Featured will be amateur, semi-professional, and professional artists, ranging from vocalists to dancers to instrumentalists to humorists.

Tickets are available at the lobby desk of Chief Shoppenagons Hotel for \$2.00 or from some CCAC members. Seating is very limited, so advance ticket purchases are advised.

The name SHOWCASE was chosen from a long list of possibilities, because "we felt the Arts Council's major purpose for originating and sponsoring this event is to showcase some of the wonderful talent we have in this area," says project chairman Lorna Morse.

Art works by Grayling Middle and High School students and by professional artists and craftspeople will be on exhibit in the Hotel lobby for the audience to view before and after the performance.

Refreshments will be on sale both before and during SHOWCASE. The Hotel's regular Sunday fare will still be available to diners.

Questions about the upcoming performance of SHOWCASE can be answered by calling 348-7037.

"Let's Talk About" Program

Dr. Ernesto Quiachon is the scheduled guest physician at Mercy Hospital's "Let's Talk About" series to be held Thursday, March 20 at 7 p.m. in the private dining room. Dr. Quiachon will present a slide program on Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS).

SIDS is defined as the sudden and unexpected death of an infant who appeared healthy but whose death remains unexplained after the performance of an autopsy. While the incidence of SIDS is not large (two per 1,000 live births worldwide), the emotional and psychological trauma of an infant's death, compounded by the unreasonable nature surrounding its occurrence, makes SIDS a health concern.

The program will present results of several studies regarding the characteristics of infants who died from SIDS, as well as maternal and environmental factors which may influence the incidence of SIDS in a population group.

This program is appropriate for anyone interested in children's health issues and/or SIDS. Pre-registration is not necessary. For more information contact Pat Hanson at 348-5461, extension 120.

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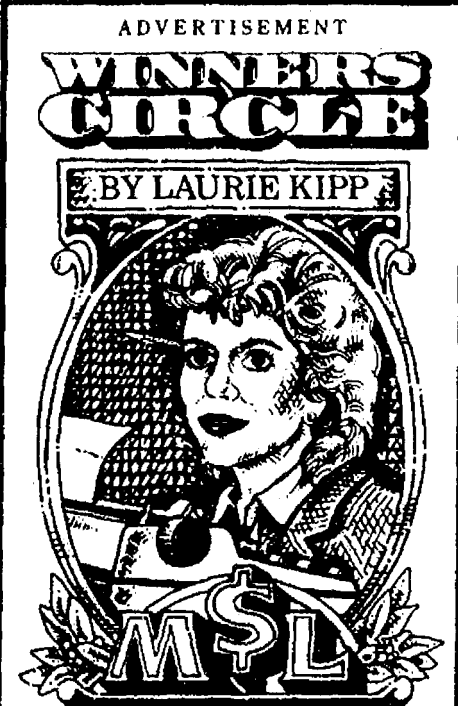
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THE MICHIGAN LOTTERY HAS ANNOUNCED A NEW WEEKLY GAME, SUPER LOTTO, TO START IN APRIL. A LETTER TO "WINNERS CIRCLE" POSED THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

Q. What is the major difference between the two Lotto games?

A. The Michigan Lotto game currently challenges players to match six numbers from a field of 40. Super Lotto will ask players to pick six numbers from a field of 44.

Q. Won't it then be harder to match all six numbers?

A. Yes. The odds for matching four, five or all six winning numbers will increase along with estimated prize amounts.

Q. How large will prizes be in Super Lotto?

A. Jackpot shares in the regular Lotto game have averaged about \$1.7 million. Super Lotto should provide average Jackpot shares of more than \$3 million. Second prize shares will be an estimated \$2,500 compared to \$1,600, while third prize shares will average an estimated \$90 versus \$50.

Q. Why is this new game being added?

A. Many players have indicated interest in large Jackpot amounts, like those that have occurred in other states, from Lotto games with more numbers from which to choose.

Q. What if I prefer the regular Lotto game?

A. Players will now have a choice of two Lotto games. Those preferring the better odds can play the regular six of 40 game with weekly drawings every Wednesday night. Those seeking larger prizes can try the longer odds in Super Lotto, with its Saturday drawings.

Q. How will the Lotto game changes affect my current subscription?

A. Lotto subscriptions will continue for the 6/40 game only. Players with current subscriptions will receive notice of the return to once-a-week play and charts to help them figure new expiration dates. Subscription play will NOT be offered for Super Lotto, but the Lottery is looking into a system for advance purchase of tickets at Lotto retailers.

Q. How will the game affect the Lottery's contribution to the State School Aid Fund?

A. Addition of a second Lotto game should help the Lottery provide \$430 million to aid K-12 education this year. Last year, Lottery players provided \$360 million for schools.

Because his Super Lotto question was first received and used in this column, Harold Lockwood of Gaylord received 50 tickets for the "Tic Tac Toe" instant game. If you have a Lottery question you'd like answered, send it to:

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To cut calories, try the following:

- ★ Prepare meals from scratch. This will help avoid hidden calories found in some prepared foods and mixes.

- ★ Substitute lower calorie ingredients. For example, use tomato juice for tomato sauce, cottage cheese for cream cheese, reduced-calorie dressings for regular dressings.

- ★ Bake, broil or roast on a rack, so meat will remain above drippings.

- ★ Pan broil using a skillet with a non stick finish instead of frying.

- ★ Poach, grill, saute or steam meats and vegetables.

- ★ Use serving strategy - two or three thin slices of meat on a plate look larger than one thick piece. (Or use a smaller plate to make servings look bigger).

- ★ Use a measuring cup to control serving size. The smaller the portion, the fewer the calories. You may be surprised to find you have been dishing up bigger amounts than you realized.

- ★ If you are a sandwich lover, use one piece of thin-sliced bread instead of two. And spread it with reduced-calorie mayonnaise, salad dressing or mustard instead of butter.

- ★ Plan meals ahead. Eat six meals a day, instead of your regular breakfast, lunch and dinner. This will keep you satisfied so you don't feel hunger pangs.

- ★ Write down everything you eat. This will stop impromptu snacking and make you conscious of your full caloric intake.

- ★ Make it a habit to eat all meals and snacks at the table. You will be less likely to snack if you don't take food out of the kitchen or dining room.

- ★ Eat with a fork. Even if it's a sandwich, cut it with a fork and eat slowly, slowly.

- ★ Begin a moderate exercise program. It's a great way to burn off calories.

Completes Basic Training

Pvt. William M. Ferguson, son of Nellie P. Ferguson of Grayling, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

His wife, Beth, is the daughter of Jack Brinkerhoff of 4210 Bayview Point, Traverse City, Mi.

He is a 1975 graduate of Southfield Lathrup High School, Lathrup Village, Mi.

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ROTARY POSTER CONTEST WINNER — In the top photo Grayling Middle School principal Dale Nicholas and Crawford AuSable art instructor Lynn Thompson present \$10 awards each to (from left) Angie Thompson, 6th grade; Andrea Flowers, 7th; and Margarita Perez, 8th, winners of the Grayling Rotary Poster Contest. In the bottom photo are high school winners Lori Pfaff, 12, Bonnie Hatfield, 10th, and Stacey Gizinski, 11th (left to right).



School Meals

March 17 thru 21

BREAKFAST

Monday - Choice of: Raisin Bran, Cheerios or Corn Flakes, Orange Juice, Milk.
Tuesday - Donuts, Fruit, Hot Chocolate.

Wednesday - Cooked Cereal, Orange Juice, Milk.

Thursday - Choice of: Special K, Crisp Rice or Puffed Wheat, Orange Juice, Milk.

Friday - French Toast, Orange Juice, Milk.

LUNCH

Monday - Hamme Sammie, Sliced Cheese, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit, Milk.

Tuesday - Chili, Crackers, Bread & Peanut Butter, Peach Cobbler, Milk.

Wednesday - Goulash, Buttered Vegetable, Hot Rolls, Chilled Fruit, Milk.

Thursday - Baked Chicken, Whipped Potatoes, Bread & Butter, Jello/Fruit, Milk.

Friday - Choice of: Fish-wiches, Tartar Sauce or Toasted Cheese, Buttered Vegetable, Chilled Fruit, Milk.

Menu is subject to change without notice.

March Declared As "Red Cross Month"

As Americans we sometimes have a tendency to take many things for granted - until we are personally affected. Certainly that holds true when it comes to the work done by American Red Cross volunteers.

President Reagan has declared March as "Red Cross Month" and is asking that Americans acknowledge the service provided to our great nation by its countless Red Cross volunteers, including those right here in our own community - whether they donate blood, volunteer their time, or assist financially.

During this month our chapter will conduct a blood drive at the High School on March 26th from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

Since the summer of 1985, American Red Cross volunteers assisted over one million victims of fire, tornadoes, hurricanes, and flooding. Most recently Red Cross volunteers assisted the victims of life threatening floods in California, Utah, Nevada, and Florida. The hot meals, blankets, soft beds, warm smiles, and other assistance provided by Red Cross helped them get through the nightmare and on with the difficult task of rebuilding their lives.

But the work carried on by the Red Cross does not stop here. It also provides emergency assistance to men and women of the Armed Forces; life saving training, such as First Aid and CPR; and the life-sustaining service of collecting and distributing a safe, voluntarily donated blood supply.

One major goal of the Red Cross this year is to replenish its depleted Emergency Disaster Fund, which is necessary to continue providing relief to the victims of national catastrophes. Since July 1, 1985, the Red Cross has spent over \$80 million for disaster relief, this has exceeded the budget by nearly \$30 million, which must be raised by June 30, 1986.

We cannot afford to take the work done by the Red Cross for granted - no community is immune to nature's destructive forces, including our own.

The greatest tribute you can pay the Red Cross during its special month is to become part of its family. Just like any family, there's a job that everyone is capable of doing. Consider volunteering your time and talents, becoming a regular blood donor or supporting it financially.

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Crawford County Chapter
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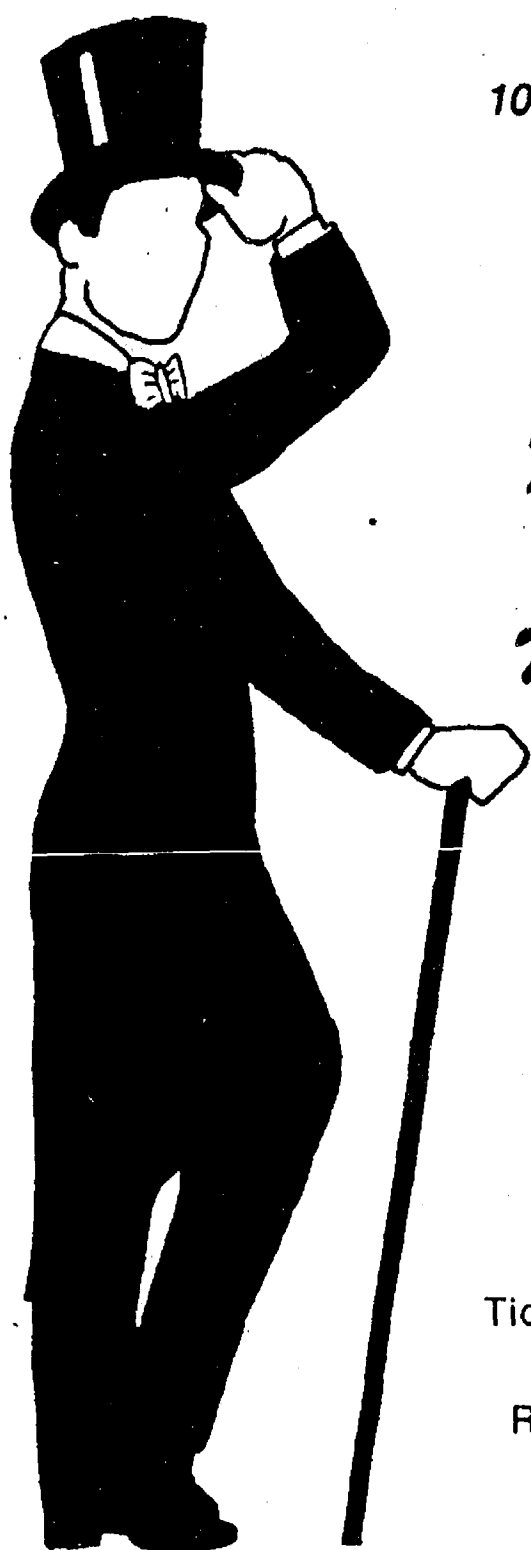
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NEW PHYSICAL EDUCATION-SCIENCE TEACHER — Carrie Mayes, the new physical education and science instructor at the Grayling Middle School, shows a group of students how to shoot a basketball. Mayes played varsity basketball at Central Michigan University and received her bachelor's degree there majoring in physical education and minoring in health and psychology. She earned a Master's degree from Fordham University. Mayes is from Port Austin, Michigan, and she took over the position held by Ann Doty.

CRAWFORD COUNTY SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING

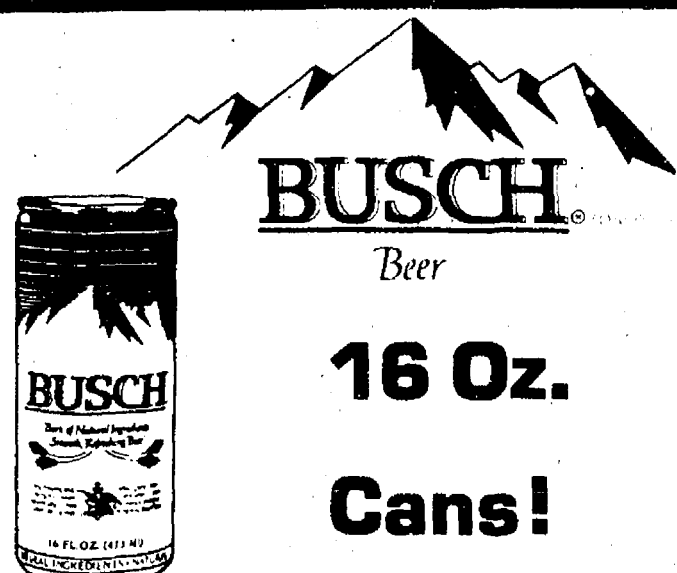
1:00 P.M. - March 29, 1986
at Township Hall, 5245 M-18

Hearings on all Budgets and
Federal Revenue Sharing.

SPECIAL MEETING

A Special Meeting of the South Branch Township Board will be held following the Annual Meeting on March 29, 1986 at the Township Hall, 5245 M-18, for the purpose of adoption of the 1985-86 Budgets.
Mary M. Mollon, Clerk

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ABWA Scholarships

The Educational Committee of the Grayling Chapter of the American Business Women's Association is accepting applications for scholarships.

Scholarships up to \$500.00 will be available for tuition and books for college or other post-secondary education.

Applicants must be women residents of Crawford County who are seeking either a business or professional career. Application forms are available from Doretha Carlson at 348-8788 or Diona Cerelli at 348-8727.

Applications are also available at Grayling High School, Kirtland Community College, and Mercy Hospital. Applications need to be turned in by Wednesday, April 30, 1986.

COA News

The Michigan Legislature has commissioned a study by the Michigan Women's Commission for the purpose of addressing Older Women's Issues.

A Task Force has been established on the state level to study the problem, and they are mandated to hold public forums to receive information from concerned citizens regarding these issues.

On April 4th, 1986 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., the Task Force will be holding a public forum to address the following Older Women's Issues:

1. Adequacy and structure of the pension system for older women.

2. Access to employment and training for the older women.

3. Access to health insurance for the older women.

The forum will be held at the Crawford County Commission on Aging office located at 308 Lawndale Drive in Grayling. The public is invited to attend and participate in the gathering of this information.

COMING ATTRACTIONS:

"The Penguins" Kitchen Band - March 25th, 5:30 p.m.

Games Night - March 26th,

5:30 p.m. Cards and Bunco are played.

Senior Power Day - April 3rd in Lewiston.

Older Women's Issues - April 4th, 1:00-5:00 p.m. at COA Office.

Menu and Activities

For The Week of March 17 thru 23

Monday - 3:00-Songbirds,

5:00-Dinner (Irish Stew),

5:30-St. Patrick's Party.

Tuesday - 10:00-Exercise,

1:00-Bowling, 1:00-RSVP

Cards, 5:00-Dinner (Chicken

Nuggets), 5:30-Grand-

parents / Grandchildrens

Party.

Wednesday - 10:00-Quilt-

ing, 1:00-Stag Party, 1:30-

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Life, "Mexican Night" 5:00-

Birthday Dinner (Mexican

Buffet), 5:30-Movie Classic

"The Treasure of Sierra

Madra".

Thursday - 10:00-Exercise,

12:30-Blood Pressure, 3:00-

Kitchen Band, 5:00-Dinner

(Roast Turkey).

Friday - 11:30-Lovells

Satellite, 12:00-Dinner

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COMMITTEE TO OPPOSE CATCH AND RELEASE

**We SUPPORT VOLUNTARY
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**We OPPOSE Catch & Release
REGULATIONS**

The Division of Natural Resources has stated that **70%** of the **TROUT** caught on the Main Branch of the AuSable, between Burtons Landing and Wakeley Bridge, are **VOLUNTARILY RELEASED**.

59% of the people of Michigan, that responded to a **DNR** ballot, **OPPOSED CATCH & RELEASE REGULATION**.

85% of the members of the AuSable River Property Owners Association that responded to the **DNR** ballot **OPPOSED CATCH & RELEASE REGULATIONS**.

The fish biologist of the **DNR**, the Natural Resource Commission **EXPERTS DID NOT RECOMMEND CATCH & RELEASE REGULATION**.

The local chapter of Trout Unlimited, **THE GEORGE MASON CHAPTER, OPPOSED CATCH AND RELEASE REGULATION**.

The Catch and Release **"TEST"** on the South Branch of the AuSable is not completed. The South Branch **"TEST"** is to cost approximately **\$200,000.00**. The **"SO CALLED TEST"** on the Main Branch is estimated to cost **\$250,000.00**.

WHERE DOES ALL THE \$ MONEY \$ COME FROM?

CONSIDERING these **FACTS**, the **Natural Resource Commission RULED to IMPOSE** Catch and Release **REGULATIONS**.

??? WHY ???

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The Natural Resource Commission appointed by Governor Blanchard had **NO BIOLOGICAL REASON** to impose the Catch & Release Regulation. This was **STRICTLY A POLITICAL DECISION**.

The **COMMITTEE OPPOSED TO CATCH AND RELEASE** is in the process of bringing **LEGAL ACTION AGAINST THE NATURAL RESOURCE COMMISSION**.

YOU CAN HELP CORRECT THIS POLITICAL INJUSTICE.

WE NEED YOUR HELP

WRITE YOUR ELECTED OFFICIALS

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Capitol Building
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Sen. Connie Binsfeld
Room 30, Capitol Bldg.
Lansing, Mi. 48909

Rep. Ralph Ostling
Room 110½, Capitol Bldg.
Lansing, Mi. 48909

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Girl Scout Birthday

The week of March 9th through March 15th is Girl Scout week with March 12th being the Girl Scouts 74th birthday. On Sunday all the Girl Scouts were recognized in the church services they attended. Girl Scout week starts with Girl Scout Sunday since godly principles are the base of the program.

Girl Scouts find new worlds through Scouting. The best part about the new worlds are the opportunities to share in the delight of discovery with others. Girl Scout activities encourage friendship and teamwork and understanding that links the girls across the street and across the ocean.

Crawford County has an

enrollment of 100 girls and 31 adults. There are ten troops in Crawford County which are a part of the 157,000 troops around the world. They are a part of the largest voluntary organization for girls in the world. It is open to all girls ages 5 through 17 (or in grades K through 12) who subscribe to its ideals as stated in the Girl Scout Promise and Law. They are a part of a worldwide family of girls and adults in 104 countries through its membership in the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts.

Crawford County Girl Scouts have much support in the county from the residents, businesses, churches, schools and local United Way organization. The local media promotes the fall cookie sales, calendar sales, girl registration, leader recruitment and activities troops are involved in throughout the year.

A dinner for the local Girl Scouts and their family was held March 9th at the Eagles Club with a potluck dinner. A cake decorating contest with each girl baking and decorating a cake to be judged was done. The winners will be published next week along with the who got the cakes when auctioned. The other cakes will be used for dessert.

The first future Girl Scout and her family were introduced and the quilt for the 1986 future Girl Scout baby girl from Crawford County was showed. It was made by Cindy Green from quilt blocks each girl designed.

Rabbits 'R'R Habbits

Present for this weeks meeting on March 3, was Keith Bishop, Jeremie Harwood, Terry Sorenson, and Leann Bishop. Were happy to introduce a new member to our group, Rachel Bennett. This week Laura Renon was sick with the flu and unable to attend the meeting, so we hope she gets well soon.

The leaders of the club (Karen and Tina Goltick) attended a 4-H Animal Science Leaders seminar on Wednesday, Feb. 19th. "The seminar turned out well," says Karen and Tina.

The group voted on going to the two upcoming March rabbit shows at MSU in Lansing. As it turns out we're going to both.

Written by Leann Bishop, Sec'y.

Named To Dean's List

Traverse City - Alana Root, of Grayling, has been named to the Dean's Honor List for Fall Term 1985 at Northwestern Michigan College.

The Dean's Honor List recognizes outstanding academic achievement of full-time students who do unusually well in their studies. Published at the end of each term, the list includes the names of those students who have achieved a current grade point average of 3.5 or above out of a possible 4.0.

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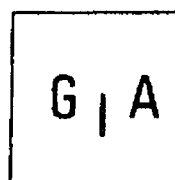
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Girl Scout Week March 9 thru 15



She's A Winner!

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Looking Ahead

Girl Scouts are encouraged to explore the many career opportunities open to them as they realize their individual potential. We're proud to support the Girl Scouts of this community!

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Downtown Grayling — 348-6071



Part Of A Group

It starts in Daisies, where a young girl feels a sense of belonging. As she goes on to Scouting, she learns to become a self-assured and aware adult.

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Always Learning

Girl Scouting teaches a girl to find out about herself through getting involved in her community. Personal growth and development are an integral part of her world.

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Scouting is Fun!

Every project takes on a special excitement and challenge as she discovers her true potential. Girl Scouts have been encouraging girls to strive for their best. We're proud to honor them!

Wurtsmith Community Federal Credit Union

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Honoring Leaders

A troop leader is a valuable part of a Girl Scout's education... always there to lend a guiding hand, along with words of wisdom. On this birthday, we heartily salute them!

Main St. Florals Laura's Bath Shoppe

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Community Projects

From selling cookies to helping others, Girl Scouts are shown that active involvement and working together is fun and rewarding. We applaud the wonderful work that our Girl Scouts do!

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WHO ARE THOSE PEOPLE IN THE WHITE P.J.'s — The people are members of the Grayling Karate Club and the P.J.'s are Dogi's (the uniform of the way).

Classes in Adult Education thru the Grayling High School were started January 13, 1986 with a 10 week course which tested and ranked its members March 3rd by Sensei Gary Hasson, 5th degree Black Belt, Tang Soo Do and his wife, Sandi Hasson, 3rd degree Black Belt.

New beginner and advanced classes will resume on March 17 to June, Monday and Thursday, 7-9 p.m. Interested people may phone 348-9337 or the Grayling Adult Education for further information. A permanent dojo (training place) is in the process with classes to be held 7 days a week. Ages range from 5 years through adult.

Members who received rank, purple belt, are as follows: Marcia Rutter, Mike Hanger, Claude Halstead, Shawn Krayes, Kevin Hinderleider, Josh Woodland, Chad Ventline, Adam Anger, Chris Wolcott of Grayling, Brian Waters, Jeff Olson, Robert Smoke of Frederic, Jason Rutter, 5 years old made 7th gup. More students to be tested March 10.

A free demonstration of Karate and Aikido (a Japanese Budo art of the Samurai) open to the public will be held on Wednesday, March 12 at 7:00 p.m. at the Grayling High School. The Northwestern University Aikido Club, Traverse City, will be in the Aikido demonstration!

Viking Band Boosters

"Nothing rejected!" Dennis Ormsbee, director of the Grayling bands, has asked that we repeat the appeal for donations of used musical instruments. Damaged instruments can be turned in for parts, or perhaps used as a spare while a student's own instrument is sent in to the company for repairs. Your donation is tax deductible. Please call 348-3223 for information. A cornet donated in December has been very useful and much appreciated.

Congratulations to the Middle School Band on earning a II in the district competition in Traverse City on Saturday, March 1st. Keep up the good work!

The next band booster meeting will be Monday, March 24th at 7:00 p.m. in the high school band room.

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. observes the 74th anniversary of its founding on March 12, 1986; and

WHEREAS, Since 1912 Girl Scouting has helped more than 49 million members enjoy wholesome activities; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting is an important way for girls to become self-reliant, productive and self-confident women; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting is an investment in tomorrow's leadership; and

WHEREAS, This year, Girl Scouts welcome their newest members, kindergarten-age Daisy Girl Scouts; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scout Week will be celebrated in our community from March 9 to 15;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sandy Thompson, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of Grayling, hereby proclaim March 9 through 15, 1986, as Girl Scout Week in Grayling.

I do further call upon all citizens of Grayling to recognize and support the contributions made by Girl Scouts and adult volunteers toward improving the quality of life in our community.

Sandy Thompson, Mayor

Frederic News

by Eva Hulbert

Satellite dinner at Maple Forest for nine, brave and foolish were we, cold and bitter it was, outside. A friendly dinner we had like family, and conversation. Hope to see next month nicer weather.

Every Tuesday at 1 p.m. Volunteer ladies, are making cards of all occasion, write your own greetings or as most of us write letters. The ladies do this at the COA building, and you may see the cards at the RSVP building. Stop in and see us. Maybe we can interest you in being a volunteer.

Tuesday dinner at 5 p.m. Beef Stew, Cole Slaw, Pineapple and Juice; 5:30 Cards. Anyone interested in going to the Sunday potluck for 4 p.m. Dish to pass, give me a call, Eva 348-9477.

March 17th - St. Patrick's Day Party at the COA after dinner. Irish Stew, Honeydew, Lime Jello/Fruit, Limeade, on the menu.

Grandparents / Grandchildren Day, March 18th. Special dinner party, games and prizes for young and old. Grandparents suggested meal donation is \$1.35, grandchildren .75 cents. Please call in for reservations (348-8031) by the 17th. Chicken Nuggets, French fries, cole slaw, green beans, cake and apple juice.

March 19th - Ethnic Night "Mexican". For all meals call in. Pick up a bulletin, lots of information.

Happy Birthday to Florence Lane and Irene Friebe March 18th and Delta Garver on the 17th.

Workers In Frederic will be having a Bake Sale Saturday, March 15th at the Fire Hall starting at 10:00 a.m. Anyone wishing to donate should have their items there at 9:30 a.m. Thank you.

A meeting to discuss plans for Frederic Day will be held Wednesday, March 12th at the fire hall, starting at 7:00 p.m. Interested parties may attend.

Herbal Corner

Easter is around the corner, and I expect you and yours are going to color Easter eggs. There are kits in the store and food color in your cupboards, but, darlin', have you thought of coloring naturally?

One half cup of blueberries, 1 tablespoon of vinegar, and 2 cups of water all boiled together for about 20 to 30 minutes will yield a pretty pink to an earthy blue-lavender - depending on how long you leave the egg in the water. The berries, of course, are strained.

Whenever you use natural products for dyeing it is always a neater process of coloring if you strain your products before inserting the material to be dyed.

Onion skins - about 1 cup of skins to 1 tablespoon of vinegar and 2 cups of water - will give you a golden color. But I found that 1 tablespoon of turmeric with 1 tablespoon of vinegar and 1 cup of water will yield a gorgeous bright lemon yellow.

Tea or coffee will give you a tan color. Blackberries have a grey dye. If you want a green, dip the egg in the turmeric then in the blueberries. It will be anywhere from orange to an odd shade of green.

In dyeing your eggs, be sure you use 1 tablespoon of vinegar to help your product "bleed" its color. Vinegar also helps to keep the color

from running or fading. Also, be sure your water is kept hot then you will not have to keep the egg in the water so long.

Experiment. Beets should give you a particular red color. But remember, folks, these colors will also stain material. Enjoy.

Herbally yours,
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Crew Member of the Month



McDonald's of Grayling sends out congratulations to

Kathy Partin

Crew Member of the Month...

Kathy, 17 years old has been an employee of McDonald's for 9 months.

A resident of Grayling she likes to fish, hunt and ride motorcycles. She also likes to play volleyball, basketball, and softball. Congratulations — Keep up the good work!

Bits by Fay

Mark and Marilyn Hartman and children, Paul and Scott, have returned from a three-week vacation to Florida. Her mother, Mrs. Florence Johnson accompanied them. They visited his parents, Merle and Opal Hartman in Bonita Springs.

Jerry and Dee Micek and children, Sarah and Mandee, enjoyed a ten-day trip to Florida. They visited his mother, Mrs. Kathryn Micek in Silver Springs, his uncle, Dornie Donnet in Silver Springs and went sight-seeing at Disneyworld.

John Sojka was called to Turners Falls, Massachusetts the end of January due to the death of his older brother, Tony Sojka. He spent five days there visiting various members of his family. On Sunday, March 2, John and Barbara went to Saginaw to join their daughter, Tanya Sojka and friend, Randy Stevens of Troy, Mi., for dinner in order to celebrate Tanya's birthday which fell on March 4.

Jeanne Parkinson has been named Marketing Director for United Cable Television. She is a graduate of Grayling High School and has a B.S. degree from Ferris State. Jeanne resides in Lansing with her husband, Jeff, and daughter, Tracy. She is the daughter of Ray and Barbara Lange.

Congratulations and a special thanks to Cindy Olson and Les Felder for the contribution of their time to the Sibs for Kids, Big Brother-Big Sister program. Cindy and Les were matched this past week.

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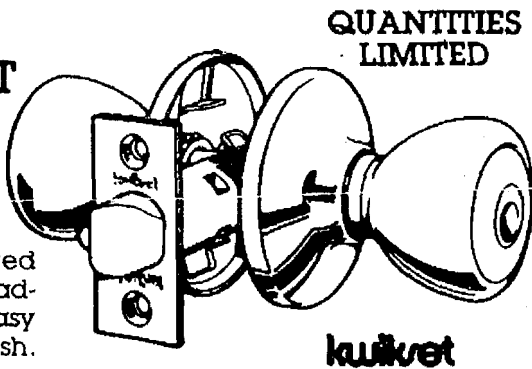
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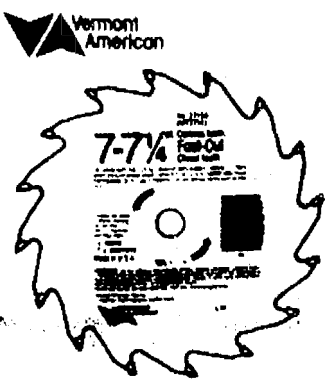
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Chamber Chatter

Total community marketing of the Grayling area was the most important concern of Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce members, a recent survey showed.

Thirty-six percent of the members responding to the survey felt total community marketing was the most important concern for the chamber. Twenty-seven percent felt tourist development was the top concern and 24 percent felt industrial development was the top concern. Two percent ranked small business assistant programs at the top, and one percent felt legislative affairs was the top concern.

The remaining five percent was split among items such as community self image, the National Guard, environmental issues, and expanded population base.

When asked what was the number one problem facing the community, 34 percent mentioned items dealing with the community working together. Twenty-one percent selected industrial development and 9 percent chose general economic growth. All other problems received three or less votes.

The survey was sent to 264 chamber members and exactly 25 percent, or 66, responded.

On a question describing their participation in the chamber, 57 percent said they were not very active. Thirty-five percent said they were fairly active and 10 percent said they were very active.

Sixty percent felt that Grayling was growing at the right pace. Twenty-seven percent said Grayling's growth is too slow, 1 percent said too fast, and 12 percent said they didn't know.

Sixty-eight percent felt the chamber was doing a good job, 15 percent felt the chamber was doing a fair job, 11 percent rated the chamber's job as excellent, 3 percent said the chamber was doing a poor job, and 3 percent said they didn't know.

Forty-five percent felt the chamber should be involved in local political issues, 38 percent said the chamber should not be, and 12 percent said they didn't know.

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Sunday
Job
23:1-12
Monday
Psalm
37:1-11
Tuesday
Psalm
37:18-31
Wednesday
Psalm
63:1-11
Thursday
Psalm
119:41-72
Friday
John
16:16-24
Saturday
Hebrews
13:1-9

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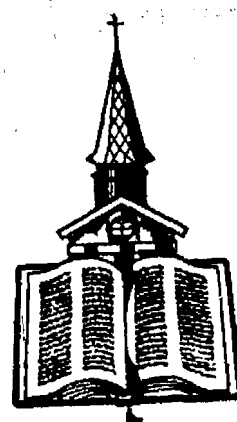
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MONDAY

Handbell Choir 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Bible Study 9:30 a.m.

Cherub Choir 3:30 p.m.

Good News Choir 3:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Senior Choir 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

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Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Pastor Robert Barnett

M-72 West

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

MID-WEEK SERVICES

Prayer & Bible Class Wed. 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Gordon French — Minister

Old US 27 at Skyline Rd

Crawford County Board of Commissioners

February 27, 1986 - Regular Meeting
SYNOPSIS

The February 27, 1986 Regular Meeting convened at 9:40 a.m. Commissioners present were: Kitchen, Harland, Mattis, Miller, Ruddy, & Joyce, Neilson-Absent. Clerk Elizabeth Wieland was present. There were 21 visitors present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

- Accepted the 2-13-86 minutes with the stipulation that Deputy Clerk Sandra Moore took the minutes.
- Accepted 22 pieces of communications.
- Re-appointed John H. Alef for another 5 year term to the Housing Rehabilitation & Community Development Commission.
- Decided to proceed with the acquisition of the property in Sec. 24, S 1/2 of SW 1/4 lying east of Old 27 in T27N, R4W for a county fairground.
- Supported the Committee Opposed to Catch & Release in their endeavor to remove the restrictions imposed by the DNR.
- Authorized payment of the \$35.00 registration fee for the Electrical Inspector to attend a seminar.
- Waived the \$44.00 fee for copies of land recordings pertaining to the Old Depot, so it can be placed on the historical register by the Historical Society.
- Executed an agreement to purchase Way Car No. 206 with the Detroit Mackinac Railway Company to be displayed at the depot.
- Adopted the Crawford County Uniform House Numbering Ordinance and the Administrative Rules & Regulations for same.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:

- Learned a Junior Deputy program is underway in the sheriff dept., under the direction of Larry Akers.
- Were informed by Sheriff Hatfield that he is pursuing a grant application on enforcement of the 55 MPH speed limit.
- Consented to allow Deputy Paul Smith, who works with the Explorer Scouts, to display the County flag at the Special Olympics event in Mt. Pleasant.
- Heard a report from Tony Doremire, Ambulance Director and Patricia Dabb, ambulance billing clerk on the status of delinquent ambulance billings.
- Learned Dan Schrock was recently transferred back to Grayling and has re-joined the Ambulance Corp.
- Were informed that ambulance costs of transferring a County resident differ from \$225.00 with the County Ambulance to \$640.00 by the private carrier.
- Learned the basic training program for ambulance attendants had been eliminated by the hospital shortly after the administration changed. The transfer policy was also changed when the private business started. Costs of training now being emphasized would be prohibitive to the County.
- Were informed Medicaid would be reimbursing 79% of the 1985 base fee of \$55.00 for 1986 billings.
- Were informed that the Housing Rehabilitation & Community Development Commission approved a request to carry Robert Prause on the group insurance policy until the end of May 1986.
- Learned from Treasurer Wakeley that information on SR 461 (PA 2-1986) relative to the return of liquor funds to counties and its effect on the Truth & Taxation was obtained at the annual Treasurer's Conference he attended.
- Reviewed various options with Len Hoofman that Consumers Power Co. is considering for the Midland Nuclear Plant.
- Learned the grant application to the MI Clean Water for the landfill was not approved. Some problems need to be resolved in order to secure the license for the new landfill area.
- Were provided a copy of HB 6346, companion bill to SB 607, seeking an increase to the payment in lieu of taxes on military lands to \$2.50 an acre.
- Heard updates from various other committees.

The full text of official minutes are on file with the County Clerk. Mary E. Harland - Chairperson
Elizabeth H. Wieland - County Clerk

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A May 17th wedding is being planned.

Circuit Court Action

The following appeared before the Honorable William A. Porter, Monday, March 3, 1986:

Robert James Iverson of Grayling, plead guilty to Criminal Sexual Conduct 4th Degree. He was arrested January 25, 1986 on a charge of Criminal Sexual Conduct 3rd Degree. He faces a possible sentence of 2 Years in Prison and/or a fine of up to \$500.00.

Thomas Edison Pelton of Roscommon, was arraigned on a charge of Criminal Sexual Conduct 2nd Degree. He was arrested December 20, 1985 after an investigation by the Crawford County Sheriff Department and the Department of Social Services.

Gerald Anson Cichy of Grayling, was sentenced on a charge of Possession of Marijuana. He was given 1 year in the County Jail with credit for 10 days served. He was arrested October 30, 1984 on charges of Delivery of Marijuana, Delivery of LSD and Selling Controlled Substances without a license.

RSVP Reports

By Aleta Thompson, Director

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Equally important, as a senior volunteer you'll find that what you receive is often more than you give. Your life will be enriched many times over by the welcome given to your active participation in community service.

If you are interested in volunteering in the RSVP program, please contact our offices at 348-4341 and 348-8322 in Grayling, and 366-5613 in Roscommon County.

Notice of Public Sale

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Judgments of Foreclosure entered by the Honorable William A. Porter, Circuit Judge for Crawford County, Michigan, on March 3, 1986, the following described parcels of real estate will be sold at public sale by the Sheriff of Crawford County at the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, at 2:00 P.M. on Friday, May 23, 1986.

A. Lot 212, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 12, Crawford County Records;

B. Lots 388, 413 and 414, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 3, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 18, Crawford County Records;

C. Lots 546 and 547, Plat of Warbler's Hideaway No. 4, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 24, Crawford County Records;

D. Lots 27 and 31, Plat of Creekview No. 1, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Page 23, Crawford County Records.

Lots will be sold "as is" and without any representation as to marketability of title and/or obligation to pay delinquent taxes.

MORGAN & FUZAK, P.C.
By: Ronald G. Morgan (P17963)
Attorneys for Warbler's Hideaway Association
200 Woodland Pass, Suite B
East Lansing, MI 48823 (517) 351-6011
Dated: March 7, 1986
-13-20-27-3-10-17-

Spring Term Starts Monday

Adult Enrichment Classes At Grayling High School

The final term of Adult Enrichment Classes at Grayling High School sponsored by the Crawford AuSable Community Education Program will get underway on Monday, March 17. These classes are open to any member of the community. Tuition fees will vary according to the class and are paid at the first class session of each class. It is not necessary to pre-register for any of this term's classes. Persons interested in the class should plan to attend the first class session however. At that first session a determination will be made as to whether the class will continue or be canceled because there are not enough students. Below is a brief description of each class being offered as well as the schedule and tuition information.

WOODSHOP - Instructor: Longworth. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Tuesday. First Class: March 18, 6:30 p.m. An opportunity to complete wood-working projects with the assistance of our instructor and taking advantage of the power tools available in the high school woodshop.

BEGINNING FOLK GUITAR - Instructor: Morse. Tuition: \$15.00. Days: Tuesday. First class: March 18, 7:00 p.m. Learn basic chords and simple tunes on your guitar. Also learn how to care for and tune your guitar. A really fun class!

INTERMEDIATE FOLK GUITAR - Instructor: Morse. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Monday. First class: March 17, 7:00 p.m. This class is a continuation of Beginning Folk Guitar and for those who can play already. Students learn new techniques as well as continuing to perfect those which they have already started. Students progress at their own rate.

GOLF - Instructor: professional staff. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Tuesday. First class: March 18, 7:00 p.m. It's that time of year again, time to dig the clubs out of the attic and start to hit the little ball around. This class is for those who are just learning as well as those who would like to get in a few lessons before the leagues begin.

Don't miss out on this one! Spring really is coming!

KOREAN KARATE - Instructor: Hasson. Tuition: \$20.00. Days: Monday and Thursday. First class: March 17, 7:00 p.m. A continuation of the very popular Karate class which began last term.

AIKIDO - Instructor: Hasson. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Wednesday. First class: March 19, 7:00 p.m. A really different form of the martial arts, an art based on the martial techniques of the samurai. Excellent physical and mental training.

DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING I - Instructor: Sprague. Tuition: \$15.00. Days: Wednesday. First class: March 19, 6:30 p.m. Teach your dog manners and discipline. The basic commands of heel, sit, lay and stay are taught. Dog should be at least 6 months old and have proof of shots. Bring a choke collar and a strong leash.

DOG OBEDIENCE TRAINING II - Instructor: Sprague. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Wednesday. First class: March 19, 8:00 p.m. A continuation of these skills learned in the beginning dog obedience class.

FLORAL ARRANGING - Instructor: Cole. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Wednesday. First class: March 19, 7:00 p.m. Learn how to make creative displays using plants, live flowers, dried flowers and silk flowers. Lots of fun and a really money-saving craft skill. Don't pass this one up!

BEGINNING PHOTOGRAPHY - Instructor: Adams. Tuition \$15.00. Days: Monday. First class: March 17, 7:00 p.m. Sign up for this class and learn good basic camera techniques that won't leave you discouraged with your results. Bring your 35mm camera and begin learning the very first night of class.

All Adult Enrichment Classes are held at Grayling High School.

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Kimberly Ann

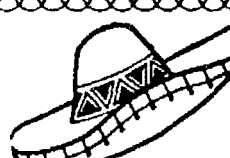
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The Crawford AuSable School District will receive sealed Proposals from qualified bidders for the renovation and new construction of new additions to the Grayling Elementary Building located at 1000 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan 49738. There will be a pre-bid meeting held on Thursday, March 13, 1986 at 1 p.m. in the Multi-purpose Room of Grayling Elementary.

Proposals may be mailed or delivered in person to Crawford AuSable Schools, 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan 49738, Attention: Bill Coberley. Proposals must be received prior to 1 p.m. (local time), on March 25, 1986. Proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud for general information evaluated at a later time.

The Project will utilize separate prime contracts. All contracts for construction will be direct contracts with the Owner. Overall coordination of the Project will be the responsibility of the construction management firm, E&V, Incorporated.

The Owner will begin to award contracts on Thursday, March 27, 1986 to separate Contractors for separate Bid Divisions or combinations of bid divisions. Any Bidder, at his option, may submit a combined Proposal for any combination of Bid Divisions by offering a Combined Bid Deduct. A separate Bid must be submitted for each Bid Division included in any such combined Proposal.

All Project procedures and documents are designed to facilitate delivery of the Project through multiple prime construction contracts. The Owner's forms, rather than industry master forms, are used for all documents. Bidders shall read and review the Bidding Documents carefully, and shall familiarize themselves thoroughly with all requirements.

Requests by Contractors for inclusion as bidders shall be addressed to the Construction Manager. One set of Bidding Documents will be provided free of charge to Bidders. The Bidding Documents are on file for inspection at the Architects' office. A \$50.00 document replacement charge will be assessed only if the Documents are not returned to the Project Team in good and usable condition.

Requests for additional sets of Bidding Documents shall be addressed to the Field Office, a charge may be assessed for such additional sets.

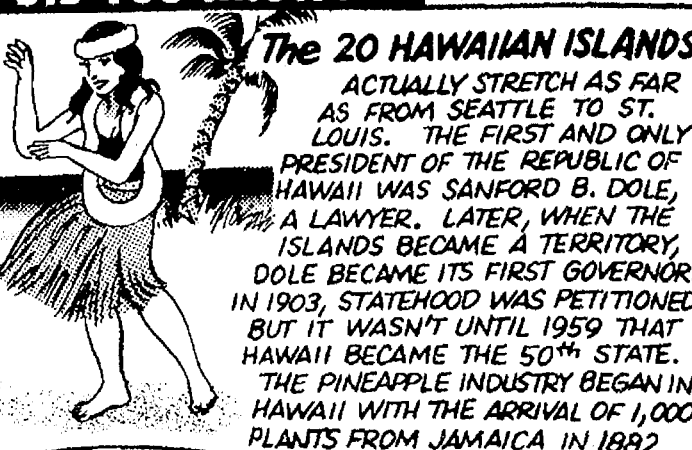
Proposals shall be submitted on the Proposal Forms furnished separately by the Construction Manager, and shall be completely filled in and executed in accord with the Bidding Documents.

Bid Security in the amount of five percent (5%) of Base Bid(s) shall accompany each proposal.

Bids may not be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days. Successful Bidders may be required to furnish Surety Bonds, as stated in the Specifications.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals, to accept other than a low Bid, and to waive informalities, irregularities and/or errors in Proposals.

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by Wendell L. Hoover, Park Interpreter

I have written before about the ability of our ancestors to find humor in situations that were threatening to life and limb and *The following*, written by Marion Ellsworth about an actual incident at the High Rollway on the AuSable further proves the point.

We were up on the AuSable

In the spring of eighty-one
 Getting ready for the driving,
 With the winter's logging done;
 But the rollways of McLaughlin
 Still were clinging to the shore,
 And they hung above the river
 Fully thirty feet or more.

We were trying to break the rollways,
Ed McCoy, Bob Joy and me,
Dropping logs from the top to bottom
In hopes to break the key logs free.

Ed and Bob were at the end-
When I felt the rollways going
And I saw the skidway bend.

When I knew the ways were going
And I shouted, "Run, boys. Run".
When I dropped my log and heeled it,
Did not wait for anyone.

My good luck I gained the background;
 Then I turned to view the scene:
 Three great rollways crashing, grinding,
 Like some wild and fearful dream,

Finally I got sight of Ed,
in the water partly lying,
First I thought that he was dead.
When I saw that he was moving

Though a small log held him down,
Lying just across his shoulder,
Just above the water brown.
He would raise it just a trifle;

Then again the log came down,
Ducked his head beneath the water
Till I thought he sure would drown
When I heard a sound beside me,
And a great log thundered past:

And I closed my eyes in horror-
Straight for Ed 'twas speeding fast.
Then I looked again in wonder;
Ed was standing now erect

or the big log had just missed him
 And knocked the small one from his neck.
 Then across the logs came Robert,
 And he was not even wet.

Ed," said Bob, "what were you thinking
There amid that awful swirl?

Did you think of home and mother?
Or about your latest girl?
Ed bit off a chunk of spearhead:
Then he said with thoughtful frown:
My best girl I never thought of.

I was afraid my lice would drown."

Important

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BECAUSE THE LIST OF DELINQUENT TAX
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Joseph V. Wakeley
CRAWFORD COUNTY TREASURER

Scholarship Winner

Ypsilanti - Eastern Michigan University's Office of Financial Aid has announced that 265 students have been selected to receive the University's 1986 Recognition of Excellence Awards.

Winners of the scholarships must have earned a 3.5 grade point average in high school or community college and demonstrate outstanding leadership ability.

Preference is given to high school students who score at least a 20 on the American College Test or 900 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test.

One award has been designated for each community college and high school in Michigan. Additional awards are given to Michigan schools and out-of-state schools as funds permit.

One of the recipients was Kimberly Cole of Grayling.

Plant For Wildlife!

The Crawford-Roscommon Soil Conservation District encourages planting trees and shrubs for wildlife habitat in these two counties.

Packet A (for well-drained, sandy soils) contains autumn olive, Russian olive, crabapple and hawthorn; and Packet B (for moist, loamy soils) contains honeysuckle, red osier dogwood and Mt. ash. Each packet contains 50 seedlings that are 1-2 years old.

Orders are now being taken for planting in early May. Call 275-5231; write P.O. Box 156, Roscommon, MI, 48853; or stop in at 409 Lake Street weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to obtain more information.

Other species also available will be red and white pine, blue, Norway and white spruce and Hybrid poplar.

Description of species:
• **Autumn Olive** - A fast growing shrub with silvery green leaves, thorns and abundant red berries beneficial to wildlife. Grows up to 15 feet.

• **Russian Olive** - Silvery yellow-shaped leaves, yellow fragrant flowers in early summer, gray berries in fall and winter. Good for hedges, too; grows up to 25 ft.

• **Crabapple** - Attractive foliage, white flowers, red fruit fall and winter. Grows to 20 ft.

• **Hawthorn** - A small (15-30 ft. tall) tree with white flowers, bright red berries and thorny branches. Songbirds love it. Good for screens and borders.

• **Honeysuckle** - Dense foliage, pink or white blossoms, abundant red berries in late summer. Grows to 12 ft. and good for hedgerows and windbreaks.

• **Red Osier Dogwood** - Reddish twigs, white clusters of flowers with white or blue fruit. Grows up to 9 ft.

• **Mt. Ash** - Small tree (30-35 ft. tall) with white flowers followed by bright red berries in the fall.

Notice of Sale

On Partition

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an Order of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, dated the 7th day of February, 1986, directing me to sell the property described below, I shall, on the 16th day of April, 1986, at 10:00 a.m. at public auction to be held at the County Building in the city of Grayling in said County, offer for sale to the highest bidder the following premises:

Land in the township of Frederic, County of Crawford State of Michigan described as: All that part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 35 T28N, R4W lying West of the D.C. Railroad.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the above order, the terms of sale shall be as follows: The said premises shall be sold for not less than \$4,375.00; that the buyer pay at least \$684.16 cash at the time of sale, and pay the balance in cash within 30 days thereafter or in the form of a land contract payable to the Plaintiffs upon such terms as shall be agreeable to the Plaintiffs.

Dated: February 27, 1986
Elizabeth H. Wieland
Crawford County Clerk

Bernard J. Caspar
Attorney for Plaintiffs
2258 Old U.S. 27 South
P.O. Box 1214
Gaylord, MI 49735
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Fast Spending

Americans spend about \$23 billion a year on foods like hamburgers, French fries, shakes, pizza, chicken and tacos from fast food restaurants.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Circuit Court For
The County of Crawford

File No. 85-1214-CH (D)
JOHANNES J. JORGENSEN and MARY JANE JORGENSEN, husband and wife, Plaintiffs,

vs.
CHERYL L. LOZON, Defendant.

LAW OFFICES OF
ROY M. BENAWAY
By: ROY M. BENAWAY (P10660)

Attorney for Plaintiffs
120 East Main St.,
P.O. Box 126
Gaylord, Michigan 49735
(517) 732-7565

NOTICE OF SALE
OF REAL ESTATE
ON FORECLOSURE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Default Judgment of Foreclosure containing order of sale entered by the 46th Circuit Court of Crawford County, Michigan, on February 18, 1986, in favor of Johannes J. Jorgensen and Mary Jane Jorgensen, husband and wife, and against Cheryl L. Lozon, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction to be held at the County Clerk's Office located in the County Building, City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that being the place of holding the circuit court in said county, on the 14th day of April, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate:

Land situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:
A parcel of land 50 feet by 183 feet bounded by and included within a line as follows: Commencing at a point on the centerline of Old M-93 which is 270.5 feet Southwesterly of the intersection of the North line of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W, with said centerline of Old M-93; thence Northwesterly 183 feet at right angles to said centerline; thence Southwesterly at right angles 50 feet; thence Southeasterly at right angles 183 feet; thence Northeasterly at right angles 50 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of that part of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W lying Northwesterly of Old M-93 as now existing on the premises.

AND a parcel of land 100 feet by 183 feet bounded by and included within a line as follows: Commencing at a point on the centerline of said Old M-93 with the North line of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W; thence at right angles Northwesterly 183 feet; thence at right angles Southwesterly 100 feet; thence Southeasterly at right angles 100 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 13, T26N, R4W lying Northwesterly of centerline of Old M-93 as now existing on said premises.

The redemption period from this sale shall expire six (6) months from the date of sale. Dated: February 19, 1986

LAW OFFICES OF
ROY M. BENAWAY
By: ROY M. BENAWAY (P10660)

Attorney for Johannes J. Jorgensen and Mary Jane Jorgensen
120 East Main St.,
P.O. Box 126
Gaylord, Michigan 49735
(517) 732-7565
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Legal Notice

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in, or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

TAKE NOTICE, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Treasurer of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50 percent additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges: If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land: State of Michigan, County of Crawford.
Sec. 11, Town 27 North Range 4 West.

The North 215 feet of the South 430 feet of that part of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 11 lying East of Hwy. U.S. 27 also: the North 215 feet of

South 430 feet of West 659.3 feet of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 11, Town 27 North, Range 4 West, Frederic Township. Amount paid \$170.45. Tax for 1981.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$255.68 plus \$5.00 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

/s/ Gene Hagedorn (A Single Man)
4126 Starr Avenue
Oregon, Ohio 43616

To Margot Agnes Jones, 1130 Parker No. 311, Detroit, Michigan 48214 last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Gene Hagedorn, 4126 Starr Avenue, Oregon, Ohio 43616 grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.

Margot Agnes Jones, 1130 Parker No. 311, Detroit, Michigan 48214 the person in actual open possession of said lands.

Irmgard K. Riddle, 35 23rd Street, No. 1, Venice, Ca. 90291 holder of other interest. (Paid 1980 taxes)

-20-27-6-13-

Notice of Sale

JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE having been entered by the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford (File No. 84-6-874-CH) against Defendants M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank, in favor of Plaintiff Kidde Recreation Products, Inc. The Court having ordered Defendants to pay Plaintiffs all sums due under a Land Contract dated October 1, 1979 or the real property secured by said indebtedness may be sold at public auction by the Crawford County Clerk to satisfy the amount adjudged due to Plaintiff.

Defendants, M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank having failed to pay Plaintiff and there remaining unpaid the sum of ONE MILLION FIFTY EIGHT THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED NINETY ONE AND 15/100 (\$1,058,591.15) DOLLARS together with accrued interest at 10.5% per annum from December 31, 1985 and no other civil action or suit preceding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover said debt.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the order of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford and pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 16, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Crawford County Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within said County) the real property described herein will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due aforesaid, and any sum which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said property, and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon, and all legal costs and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, which premises are described as follows:

Part of the SW 1/4 of Section 7, T26N, R3W, City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan. Commencing at the SW corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of said Section 7, thence S1°21'W, 17.25 ft. to the S 1/4 R/W of State Highway M-72 and M-93, thence N45°45'E, 340.00 ft.; thence N44°21'E, 105.3 ft.; thence N41°56'E, 224.8 ft. to the P.O.B.; thence S50°14'E, 411.0 ft.; thence N64°34'E, 271.95 ft.; thence N88°17'E, 286.90 ft.; thence S45°49'E, 30.40 ft.; thence S 2°07'E, 203.70 ft. to the bank of the Au Sable River; thence S 68°05'E (along said bank), 65.71 ft.; thence N44°07'E, 388.66 ft.; thence N45°49'W, 710.00 ft.; thence S44°07'W, 273.00 ft.; thence N45°49'W, 270.21 ft. to the S 1/4 R/W of State Highway M-72 and M-93 thence S39°41'W, 494.7 ft. to the P.O.B.

Defendants, M-72 Associates, Crawford County Housing and Community Development, Gaylord State Bank and Northern National Bank, their successors and assigns or any person lawfully claiming from or under them, shall within six months from the date of the aforesaid judicial sale be entitled to redeem the entire premises sold, by paying to the purchaser, his executors, administrators, successors or assigns, or to the Register of Deeds in whose office the Deed is deposited for the benefit of said purchaser, the sum of which was bid therefore, with interest from the time of the sale at a rate of percent born by the judgment plus any other sums required to be paid by law.

KIDDE RECREATION PRODUCTS, INC.
Jennings and Turkelson P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiffs
P.O. Box 67, 162 N. 4th West Branch, Mich. 48661
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The Grayling Women's Aglow will be having their meeting on Saturday, March 15. They will be meeting this time at the Parlor located on the corner of I-75 and M-72 West in Grayling.

The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. with refreshments. From 10:00-11:00 a.m. the ladies will join in worship and song.

Alice Miller of Grayling will be our special speaker this month. Mrs. Miller will be speaking on Patience and Perseverance in waiting. This promises to be a wonderful time of fellowship and ministry, and all of our area ladies are cordially invited to attend.

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High Series: B. Grant 534, L. Tobin 530, B. Pryor 528.

ROOKIE ROLLERS

1. McDonald's 23
2. K mart 17
3. Grayling State Bank 15
4. Legion Lanes 13
5. Moshier's 12
6. C.B.N. 12
7. Roost 11
8. R & H 4

High Game: M. Duval 117, C. Lobsinger 95, D. McClain 93.

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High Game: C. Gusler 115, B. Croze 114, M. Harwood 106.

High Series: C. Gusler 217, B. Croze 191, N. Rossi 185.

AMERICAN 2ND DIVISION

1. McLean's Promart 23
2. Scheer Motors 22
3. Legion 20
4. Glen's 19
5. Patty's Place 17
6. Clair's Standard 16
7. M.C.M. 12
8. Wilts Carpet 10

High Game: T. Grant 212, B. Miller 205, K. Helsel 202.

High Series: L. Davis 572, H. Weaver 570, T. Ockerman 547.

TRIANGLE LEAGUE

1. Straits Corp. 121
2. Davis Jewelers 100
3. Airway Automation 99
4. Jack the Tinner 97
5. Kamph's Trash & Gage 96
6. Glen's Market 83
7. Parsons Advertising 62
8. 53 53

High Game: M. Friske 209, C. Porter 200, D. LaMotte 193.

High Series: C. Porter 557, D. LaMotte 537, Pyle 526.

SENIOR CITIZENS

1. Cornell Ins. 56
2. Promart 52
3. Great Lakes 51
4. Flowers by Josie 46
5. Greenbush Tavern 46
6. Larry & Joan's 46
7. Chemical Bank 45
8. R & H Sports 39

High Series: B. Bellanger 547, E. Klug 513, J. Gerhart 518.

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Resource Review

By Bruce Patrick
Conservation Officer

Next week (March 16-22) has been declared National Wildlife Week. The theme of this year's observance, "Discover Wildlife in Your World," is designed to encourage everyone to learn more about wildlife and the responsibility we all share to preserve critical habitat for all living things. Awareness of the needs of various forms of wildlife is centered around the "Bring Back the Bluebird" campaign, which encourages people to construct and erect nest boxes suitable for the Eastern Bluebird. Sponsored by the Michigan United Conservation Clubs and the DNR Nongame Wildlife Program, this effort is designed to replace lost bluebird nesting sites. Bluebirds live in and near open fields where grasshoppers and other insects which are their primary food source abound. Anyone who lives near such open spaces can help since bluebirds readily adapt to properly located nest boxes.

Beautiful color posters of the Eastern Bluebird are available at DNR offices and through MUCC. On the back of the poster is a nest box plan, as well as information on where and how to locate the box.

Bluebirds arrive in Michigan around the first of April, so get your poster soon.

Grayling Elementary School

Tuesday, March 4, 1986, Mr. Bovee came to talk about his job. He told us about foster homes that we could go in if our mom and dad went to jail. There's the shelter home for kids that get pulled out of their homes. In the morning you would go to a foster home. If you don't follow the rules you go to a stricter home. Mr. Bovee comes to your home to see your mom and dad if you are having troubles. Written by Christopher Wolcott, Michelle Sampsel, Rene Akers, and Tommy Johnson.

Roach Finishes College Season

Bill Roach, of Grayling, finished out his senior year on the Grand Valley men's varsity basketball team. Roach, a back-up guard, received more playing time in the second half of the season. He ended with 21 points and 18 assists for this season with the 14-14 Grand Valley State College team. Last year Roach was a member of the Grand Valley team that made the NCAA small college national tournament.

While at Grayling High, Roach helped lead his team to the first Michigan Huron Shores Conference basketball title for Grayling.

Hospital News

The following were those discharged from Mercy Hospital during the time of February 23 - March 8, 1986:

Louise Hammond and Sandra Chrispell of Houghton Lake; James Ott of Higgins Lake; Orville Schaller and Halford Berti, both of Roscommon; Marie Inman of Frederic; and Leanne Davis of Lewiston.

James and Quineth Crawford of Grayling are pleased to announce the arrival of Benjamin Delvar on February 22. Benjamin weighed 7 lbs. and 13 1/2 ozs.

Steven and Wendy Johnston of Houghton Lake announce the arrival of a baby boy on February 22. Weight - 6 lbs. 14 ozs.

Terry and Donna Smith are thrilled over the arrival of a daughter on February 25. Amber Nichole of Roscommon weighed in at 7 lbs. 11 ozs.

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LAST WEEK FOR BIG GUY

This is the last week the Animal Shelter will be able to hold this big dog looking for a new owner. He's well mannered, will shake hands, and will not jump up on a person. He's about one and a half years old and may be part St. Bernard. Call the Animal Shelter at 348-6341 for more information. He was found a couple of weeks ago on Stephan Bridge Road.

Council Discusses County Emergency Services Problems

The Emergency Service Council for Crawford County held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, February 13, and the council discussed problems existing with emergency services in Crawford County.

Failure of some emergency services to participate in the program, problems in Crawford County being unable to dispatch South Branch Township Fire Dept., problems with radio contact between central dispatch and Lovells Township Fire Dept., and problems existing with central dispatching were among the items discussed.

The council also discussed the lack of participation by some fire departments in collecting information for the Data Center computer system. The computer system will not function correctly until more names and addresses are obtained.

The need to develop first responder units in Lovells and South Branch Townships was discussed. The first responder units could be operated by the township fire departments and they have trained personnel. The units would offer initial aid in medical emergencies until an ambulance arrives.

The Emergency Service Council was started in July, 1985, to improve police, fire, and ambulance service in Crawford County. The council holds monthly meetings with the next meeting scheduled for March 12 at 7:00 p.m. at the Frederic Fire Department.

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

March	High	Low	Snow on Ground
4	41	20	17.0
5	31	18	28.0
6	31	3	29.0
7	10	-10	27.0
8	26	-24	25.0
9	44	16	23.0
10	48	26	20.0

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